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OCTOBER

20 First C.N.A.C. plane took off (1930)
20 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
20 Opening Performance of General Platoff's Don Cossack Choir at Metropol Theatre, 9.15

Coming Events

OCTOBER

21 Shanghai Philatelic Society
21 St. Andrew's Society ann. gen. mtg.
21 YWCA Finance Campaign Report Rally. Tea 4. Report 4.30
22 Joint Utilities Sports mtg. at S.A.S.
22 Shanghai Cricket Club Smoker, 9
22 Farewell Reception and Dinner Dance for Colonel and Mrs. C. F. B. Price
24 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
25 German A.D.C. "Die Vier Gesellen," Lyc., 9
26 Theosophical Society, 75 Jessfield Rd. Public Lecture, 6.30
27 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
27 Hit of the Season, "Dollar Princess" by L. Fall, Russ. Lt. Opera, Lyc., 8.30
28 Shanghai Philatelic Society
28 A.D.C. Club Evening, Lyceum
28 American Univ. Club, "Country Fair", Social/Dinner, Pavillion, 7.30
29 "The Dollar Princess", Lyceum, 8.30
30 "The Dollar Princess", Lyceum, 8.30
31 Polish Ladies' Charity Bridge/Mahjongg, Foreign Y.M.C.A., 2.30

NOVEMBER

1 Spotlite
1 B.W.A. Jumble Sale, Union Church Hall
3 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
3 B.W.A. Bridge and Mahjongg, 3
3 S.W.A. mtg., Bridge/Mahjongg, CSF, 4
3 Le Ballet Russe in "Don Quixote," ballet in 3 acts with Prologue, Lyceum, 9
4 Shanghai Golf Club, annual general meeting, American Club, 6.15
5 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote," Lyc., 9
6 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote" Lyc., 2.15 and 9
8 B. Zakharoff and V. Havsky in a concert for two pianos, Lyceum, 9
9 British Scouts Association Jamboree
15 Annual mtg., Scouts Association. Court Room, British Consulate, 5.30
19 B.U.S.C. ann. dinner dance, 8

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Maestro Paci:

An Appreciation

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It seems to me that anyone who feels the urge to comment critically on Signor Paci and his orchestra should not overlook one or two things.

Primarily, the Maestro has but a handful of men to work with, last Sunday just thirty-nine. That is not much of a band as modern symphony orchestras go. Moreover, I take it that none of those are European virtuosi. With so scanty an equipment there may be some question of the advisability of undertaking the great symphonies. But Paci is an ambitious musician and anxious to give Shanghai some real music at least once a week. Heaven knows, Shanghai needs it, what with the awful blare of jazz and the nauseating whine of "crooners" on every hand.

Compared to the broad experiences and far-reaching knowledge of the world of some of the young contributors to your "Lonely Girl" department, my own understanding, either geographical or cultural, is insignificant. But I have strayed about here and there a little, and without ever encountering a musical situation like this one in Shanghai.

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Shanghai, Oct. 18.

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To the Editor of the
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SIR,—On Sunday morning I spent an hour of time in the Seymour Road Market and I was profoundly impressed with the number of beggars that obviously have free access to the place. Further I counted over fifty small boys of the beggar class hanging around the various stalls, each one a potential pickpocket or bag-snatcher.

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PARVUS.

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PERPLEXED.

Shanghai, Oct. 19.

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15.00 News (B), "Over the Farm Gate" (B)
15.15 Snooker; Davis *v.* Newman (D)
15.35 BBC Empire Orchestra (D)
16.30 "At Home and Abroad" (LYN)
16.35 "World Affairs" (D)
16.50 News (D)
17.00 Melbourne and Perth programmes (D)
17.15 News (LYN)
17.30 News in German (B)
18.45 Fred Hartley's Sextet (D)
19.00 Concert (B), News (P), Varied (M), (R)
19.25 Snooker; Davis *v.* Newman (D)
19.45 BBC Northern Ireland Orchestra (D)
20.00 News (B), Concert (P)
20.30 "At the Black Dog" (D), News (LYN)
21.00 Soprano recital (D), News in German (B), Varied (T)
21.15 "World Affairs" (D)
21.30 News (D), in French (P)
22.00 News (B), "I Remember" (D)
22.30 Concert (P)
22.45 Variety (D)
23.00 "After Dinner," a play (D)
23.30 Organ recital (D)
24.00 News (D), (R)
00.20 "Matters of Moment" (D)
00.35 Cello recital (D)
05.15 News (D)
05.35 "The Organ, the Dance Band and Me" (D)
06.00 News, 31.48m, (USA), "Topical Gazette" (D)
06.30 Lieder recital (D), Varied (M)

DR. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, and Dr. Chao Lu, a member of the Central Political Council, wired to the military authorities and populace in Canton from Chungking on October 17, urging them to defend their native town. "The Cantonese people have awaited an opportunity to release their wrath against brutal enemy bombings," the Telegram states, "and in the defence of the birthplace of the Chinese Revolution, the Cantonese forces will play an even more significant role than in their defence of Hankow, the Lunghai Railway sectors and in the Shanghai-Woosung areas."

A Great Star Passes

Although the cinema has but a short history, it has already produced its great personalities. Probably the only one who remains fully in the picture is Charles Chaplin. Mary Pickford, the Talmadges, the Gishes, Douglas Fairbanks, Nazimova and many others have sunk into the background. One of the greatest of all the early stars has just passed away. It may be that the name of Pauline Frederick does not mean much to those who are today enjoying the performances of Joan Crawford and Miriam Hopkins.

Pauline Frederick was probably the first to bring to the silent screen the dignity of real acting founded on a lengthy association with the stage. Born in 1885, Miss Frederick became in early life an actress of the first rank. She enjoyed the gift of great personal beauty to which she added dramatic intensity and technique. When she entered the cinema studio in 1915, she took with her all the advantages of her experience.

Film acting before her advent had been mainly crude and incompetent. How crude and incompetent it was may be seen in the occasional revivals of early pictures. Pauline Frederick was an actress who stood out before all others. The majority of the roles given her on the screen were melodramatic but she redeemed them from the more absurd qualities of melodrama by sheer charm and skill. If one would find her more recent parallel, it is probable that one would have to turn to Miss Ruth Chatterton. Like Pauline Frederick, Ruth Chatterton came to the screen, technically equipped by long stage experience.

As Pauline Frederick lifted up the silent screen from its cradle of banality, so Ruth Chatterton went to Hollywood to give the new "talkies" the appeal of a well-trained and modulated voice and the more subtle acting than could be afforded by the silent stars, the majority of whom had been trained before the camera to produce little but broadly suggestive pictorial effects. Had Pauline Frederick come later, it is probable that she would have dominated the cinema of today as no other actress might have been able to do.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF OCTOBER 20, 1878

From Tientsin: The Marquis Tseng, Minister to England and France, leaves for Shanghai by the China Merchants' Co.'s steamer Pautah, tomorrow morning. He was escorted on board by some of the old-time Chinese river gunboats, and received parting visits from his friends, including H.E. The Viceroy. The Pautah is already engaged on her next trip for H. E. Chung How, Minister elect to Russia. It is now quite certain that Tientsin and Taku will be connected by telegraph before navigation closes. The posts are being prepared, and they are now waiting for the wire. Letters received by friends here a few days ago from Taiyuenfu, brought word that Mr. Turner had been very ill of dysentery, but was recovering. The last three weeks have been one succession of dark, damp, chilly days, with scarcely an exception—such as has not been known here for years. Such a sudden and severe change, and continuation of unseasonable weather, has produced a great deal of diarrhoea and dysentery, both among foreigners and Chinese. We are longing for our usual October weather.

BY SAPAJOU.

Mr. G. Herzel

Secretary of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Shanghai

Sabu Makes Visit to New York

The "Elephant Boy" Likes American Gangster Cinemas and Speedy Machines

Like most boys in their 'teens, Sabu has a tendency to grow, so that now he is not quite the same rollicking youngster who perched half-naked on the heads of giant pachyderms in "Elephant Boy." His face is naturally more mature—though it is still frankly boyish and smiling, with white teeth gleaming against brown skin. He wears long trousers and is—he proudly states—5 feet 4 inches tall. And he has developed a slightly skeptical attitude which is peculiar to all boys his age, even without two venerable Sikhs in attendance, on a recent visit to New York.

Most surprising, however, is the fact that this conspicuous son of India, only two years away from his native land and not many more than that out of whatever the East Indians use for cradles, is not only perfectly at ease in the English language but is an inveterate user of American slang. "Okay," "Oh, boy!" and "Oh, yeah?" roll off his youthful tongue with only a trace of Oxonian and Oriental flavouring. Boastfully, he admits that he acquired the American phrases and idioms from the Hollywood technicians whom he has faithfully studied in the London studios.

Indeed, he is a remarkable endorsement to the penetrating force of American culture. His "favourite fruit," he said (beaming triumphantly), is fish and chips, and while two of his American companions at luncheon ate shrimp curries he lit into a small steak, medium. And, although he wears his turban for professional reasons, he allowed as how he wanted to buy an American hat. (The preference is reasonable, for six yards of cloth wound tightly and expertly about the head comprise his substitute for a bonnet—and the lad confessed, miserably, that he has to do his own winding).

Passion for Speed

His two chief passions, however, are moving pictures—preferably American gangster and war films—and speed. This latter may be achieved through either fast motor cars or aeroplanes, with a slight inclination toward the planes. His familiarity with makes and models is comparable to that of any robust American kid with a similarly developed propensity—but his thirst for additional knowledge is unappeasable. He wanted to know all about the latest things in American fighting planes—how fast they can go and how many machine guns they mount. When his ignorant companions were unable to furnish him with accurate details he seemed a bit put out. However, his face suddenly brightened.

"I know," he said, "maybe that fellow can tell me."

"What fellow, Sabu?"

"The fellow that runs New York. Who is he, now? I'm going to meet his wife. Oh, yes—I know! Roosevelt!"

But then his face clouded again. No, he finally concluded—maybe "that fellow" wouldn't tell him after all. Military secrets, you know.

Operatic Film Decline

As has been mentioned recently, Hollywood is at the moment disinclined to spend any more money on screen opera. Producing companies tried very hard and persevered quiet expensively and elaborately to follow up the success of "One Night of Love." Operatic singers of the first magnitude were given contracts, but "One Night of Love" remained without a successor. So the contracts of such singers as Grace Moore, Lily Pons and Gladys Swarthout have either lapsed or are about to lapse.

But this does not mean that the operatic film has come to an end. Possibly it merely means that Hollywood with its producers and directors does not know enough about opera. At any rate, French studios, encouraged by the success of French films generally, are going to attempt where Hollywood has failed. Grace Moore, who has a home on the French Riviera, will soon start in a French studio making a picture out of Charpentier's opera, "Louise."

Miss Lily Pons is also bound for France and early in the New Year will take up the principal role in a film version of Massenet's opera "Manon Lescaut." Without much adaptation these two operas should make excellent cinemas. They are picturesque and romantic, offering chances for change of scenery without too much interference with the authentic stage scenarios. Unquestionably the French have a finer artistic consciousness than can be found in Hollywood save on rare occasions.

Jenny Lind Again

The thought of Grace Moore reminds us of the picture she made some years ago on the life of Jenny Lind, the great Swedish prima donna. By all measures this film could not be accounted a success, but it marked the beginning of Miss Moore's career on the screen. Now, one understands, there may soon be another picture dealing Jenny Lind in her early years. The star in this instance will be Deanna Durbin. One understands some of the temptation to cast Miss Durbin for such a role, but one has grave doubts about its wisdom.

Miss Durbin has an unquestionable unsophisticated charm allied with an obvious sense of humour. Her obvious role is that of the singing schoolgirl, a role which has brought her to well-merited fame. But one cannot see her as the young Swede who, judging by all the portraits we have of her, never suggested a light-hearted American school girl with a demurely mocking attitude towards life as a whole and her elders in particular.

Posing for "Pinocchio"

As it was announced some time ago, Walt Disney's next full-length picture will not be "Alice in Wonderland" but a version of the Italian folk story "Pinocchio." As under his new contract Disney will make only one full-length cartoon a year, "Alice" cannot reach the screen until 1940. In making his next major work, Disney will follow his rule of using living models for his characters. Each of the seven dwarfs had a human original whose features were exaggerated or distorted in the desired grotesque manner.

Walt Disney has chosen his model for Pinocchio. He is Christian Rub who has already made his appearance on the screen in "Mr. Deeds Comes to Town" and "100 Men and a Girl." Of course, no one will expect to see a life-like portrait of Mr. Rub, but one knows that Mr. Disney's fantastic drawings often suggest well-known characters, and the "Pinocchio" cartoon is sure to have the unmistakable characteristics of its original, so that, on seeing it, everyone will say, "Surely, I have seen that man before."

"You Can't Take It With You" was produced and directed by Frank Capra from the screen play by Robert Riskin. The cast is headed by Jean Arthur, James Stewart, Lionel Barrymore, Edward Arnold, Mischa Auer, Spring Byington, and Ann Miller.

The Drawing Stars Say Little

Careers Often Injured by Remarks Made "Off-Stage"; Greta Garbo's Silence

The top drawing stars of today's entertainment world are all—more or less—inarticulate, says the "Oregonian." There's Shirley Temple, a child, whose private life utterances are restricted to the epigrams of her age. Charlie McCarthy is a wooden dummy who can only come to life via the lips of Boss Bergen. Walt Disney's Snow White, who will earn more money for her maker than any of her flesh and blood glamour sisters, has no life—or speech—away from the silver screen.

Not one of the above three has figured in a marriage or a divorce. Not one of them has ever expressed an opinion on politics or religion, or pictures, or producers. They just do the job for which they are hired—entertaining the public. All of which raises an interesting question. Would it pay the ladies and gentlemen of the screen to keep private their lives, their thoughts, their everything, as with Temple, McCarthy and Snow White?

About 50 per cent. of the stars become vocal with the slightest encouragement—sometimes with dire career consequences. Others have certain topics that are taboo—such as imminent divorce or marriage. The rest, headed, of course, by Greta Garbo, maintain a clam-like silence. This attitude of Greta's has added immeasurably to her screen longevity and the glamour that goes with her name. But what of the others who believe that the public is interested only in their pictures and why should columnists probe into their non-working lives?

Gary Cooper Talks About Daughter

Gary Cooper, who is one of nature's tight-lipped gentlemen, has yet to make an enemy of reporter or fan for inability to discuss his life away from the camera (with the exception of daughter Maria—for whom Gary unloosens his conversational gates to admit—"She's wonderful.")

But Katharine Hepburn's same silent principles have cost her the good will of press and public alike. The reason for the success of the one silent star and the failure of the other? Gary is graciously insistent on private life anonymity—Katharine is cantankerous.

Errol Flynn is only just beginning to discover the publicity drawbacks of being a star. "I can't do anything without getting myself on the front page. If I could still get the same money, I'd never give another interview or bother about what the world thinks," he complained the other day. He was sensible enough not to add the usual blather offered by such stars as Jean Arthur, Kay Francis, Luise Rainer—"why should people be interested in what I say or do?" People are interested and will only lose that interest when the star is no longer a star.

I think Norma Shearer, more than any other entertainer, understands the art of revealing and concealing her private life. She is the mother of two children, but while this fact is never denied, she herself does not mention it when talking for publication. She believes—rightly or wrongly—that motherhood does not mix with screen glamour—that it will be difficult to believe in the celluloid Norma Shearer if too much is known of the Mrs. Irving Thalberg side of her existence. Norma recently was sensationally frank regarding the size of her private fortune, which she estimated at $25,000 a year. She did not, of course, mention the huge trust funds left for her children by her late husband, and over which she has a very large say-so.

Patsy Kelly Loses 40 Pounds, Becomes Star

From a comedy foil to a romantic lead—that's what the loss of 40 pounds has done for Patsy Kelly. For a new, streamlined Miss Kelly has been borrowed by Samuel Goldwyn from Hal Roach and assigned to the second feminine lead in "The Lady and the Cowboy." At the same time Roach announced that he has just re-signed the actress to a new seven-year contract.

Patsy, whose avoirdupois has long been making substantial gains, recently decided to take it for a count and went to a Santa Barbara resort for a health crusade. She shed pounds as a duck sheds water, and now, forty pounds lighter, is svelte and lithesome. Bulges have changed to dainty curves, and with the change in size comes the change in her film fortunes.

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The choir is really like one great organ, and the conductor M. Nicholas Kostrukoff, is as one might say, the organist. With his magnetic personality he controls the voices as one would organ stops, bringing out quick changes in emotion and strength and hushing the music to almost a whisper.

Under his tuition the choir has built up a great repertoire of songs, including old Cossack melodies, legend of folk lore, battle songs and beautiful lullabies. In addition to their singing, the Don Cossack Choir will give a display of Cossack dancing that will add to their artistic repertoire.

Fast Moving World

Fredric March is firmly convinced this is a fast moving world we live in today.

A necessary change in the filming schedule of Walter Wanger's "Trade Winds" brought March from Oregon to Hollywood by plane to begin his stellar role two days earlier than he expected. The first day he worked at United Artists studios he found himself in a San Francisco scene until noon and during the afternoon he appeared in one scene in Honolulu and another in Kobe, Japan.

"Now, because of the switch in the schedule, your next scene will be in India," director-author Tay Garnet told March.

"Wow!" shrieked March. "This day's travelling makes Howard Hughes look like a snail when it comes to crossing the ocean!" March pursues Joan Bennett through seven Pacific countries during the course of this new Wanger production, and after arresting her on suspicion of murder, falls in love with her.

Cary Grant and Jean Arthur sign with Columbia to co-star in "Our Wife," a gay comedy of modern marriage, based on the successful stage production by Lillian Day and Lyon Mearson.

FROM SHANGHAI FOOTLIGHTS AND FILMS

"We're Going to be Rich"

At the Cathay Theatre tomorrow, Gracie Fields in her first Fox film, made in Denham, surely will attract her host of admirers. In support are Victor McLaglen, Brian Donlevy and Coral Browne.

"Having a Wonderful Time"

Coming next week to the Grand Theatre is this smart film in which Douglas Fairbanks and Ginger Rogers have the starring roles. Others include Peggy Conklin and Lucille Ball.

"A Letter of Introduction"

This brightly vivid and entertaining picture, now at the Nanking, has among its principal players George Murphy and Andrea Leeds (above), Adolphe Menjou, Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy.

"In Old Chicago"

One of the best pictures of the year, this drama of the Chicago fire, opens at the Grand Theatre today, with Tyrone Power, Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Andy Devine in the principal roles.

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Priscilla Lane in "Four Daughters"

When Rosemary and Priscilla Lane went to Hollywood with the Waring band to appear in "Varsity Show," Rosemary got the leading role. The Warner studio liked her so well it bought her contract from Fred Waring.

When Priscilla completed her singing contract with the band, she returned to look round. She took the best offer, from the same studio that was putting Rosemary in one role after another. Then, with Lola, they were cast in "Four Daughters."

Priscilla's acting in that stands out like—well, like the other Lanes always knew it would if she were given half a chance.

The whims of Priscilla, the youngest Lane, are always gratified. For instance, she thought she'd like to live out in the country, in an Iowa-like setting. The house she chose, 25 miles from Hollywood, was rambling Spanish and it had a swimming pool and a play room. Some hay grew in a nearby field. That was like Iowa, anyway, except that they get nine crops.

Succour from the British

Only England Remains Friendly Toward Hollywood, Says Mr. Maurice Silverstone

Rumours, as a rule, die as quickly as they are born at the corner of 43rd Street and Times Square, where one can pick up at any time of the day or night supposedly choice pieces of gossip about the secrets of film producers in Hollywood and in England, writes Thomas M. Pryor to the New York "Times." Ordinarily this department takes these rumours for what they are worth, which, generally speaking, is nothing.

This does not seem to be the case with the rumour started almost two years ago that Maurice Silverstone—then managing director of the United Artists Corporation in England and Continental Europe — was being groomed for the presidency of the company. For said rumour has gained new impetus since the resignation of Dr. A. H. Giannini as president, Mr. Silverstone's appointment to a specially created post as chairman of the executive committee and the general shifting about of various United Artists department heads that has been going on since Samuel Goldwyn and Alexander Korda assumed operating control of the company last April.

Apparently oblivious—or, perhaps quietly conscious—of the rumour, Mr. Silverstone is going about the business of simplifying and coordinating the working set-up of United Artists and attending to the manifold duties attendant upon his position.

In 1936 the Hays office and the Italian Government reached an agreement whereby Italy would appropriate 20,000,000 lira for distribution among American companies releasing pictures in Italy. Now, according to information available in film circles here, the Italian Government is considering, if it hasn't already so decreed, splitting that sum equally between the American distributors and the Italian producers and exporters.

This, plus the fact that the money could not be taken out of Italy would, of course, spell the virtual loss of another foreign market for Hollywood. The situation is serious and Mr. Silverstone, a diplomat of the first water, talked in broad generalities about the new Italian proposals without in any way expressing a definite view on the situation. Not that he hasn't got one. But eighteen years of service in Australia, England, and the capitals of Europe as representative for United Artists has taught him to avoid speaking hastily on an important subject while there still remains the hope of reaching a more satisfactory solution to the problem.

Asked what the prospects were for Hollywood in the world market this year or next, Mr. Silverstone knitted his brow and shook his head. It was apparent that the answer to the question is something which all of Hollywood is wondering about. He replied that aside from this country the only real market which Hollywood has at present is England. Producers would do well to worry more about pleasing the English, he inferred, and pay less attention to complaints from countries with which it now is practically impossible to do business on a profitable basis.

Mr. Silverstone is deeply concerned about the development of the picture-going habit in England. For the English people are "a most loyal and appreciative" audience and, at the same time, a most critical assemblage, he says. "If the English like a picture, they will support it to the nth degree, but if they dislike it, they will boo it off the screen. I know," he added, "because I have seen many inferior pictures booed down."

Their Only Cinema Fault

The only fault he can find with the English people, from the viewpoint of a business man, is that not enough of them have acquired the habit of attending the cinemas week after week. You could sense a deep, in fact almost a personal, hurt in the tone of his voice as he stated that only about 22,000,000 people out of a population of approximately 50,000,000 could be classified as regular moviegoers. He would like to see the figure increased to 35,000,000. And he can see no reason why that figure cannot be reached and, perhaps, surpassed. But it's up to Hollywood, he says. "Give the English good pictures and they'll support them."

To inculcate the movie-going habit in the English should be less difficult than it is here, Mr. Silverstone claims, basing this observation on the fact that in England producers, for one thing, "haven't got the radio competition that we have here."

Mr. Silverstone estimated that there are about 5,000 theatres in England as against 17,000 here and ventured the opinion that they gross more on an average per picture than do the 17,000 in this country. The explanation behind this phenomenon lies in the fact that pictures are retained by theatres until their earning power has been exhausted. The reason British theatre operators can hold over pictures as long as the box-office intake warrants is, of course, because over there the system of block booking is unknown and there is no consequent congestion of play dates. Another factor is that all pictures are rented, even to second-run theatres, on a percentage basis. And Mr. Silverstone indicated that he thought the procedure was a sound one.

The Russian Ballet in "Don Quixote"

The forthcoming production of Le Ballet Russe is attracting considerable interest. The cast of the ballet has been considerably augmented by the presence in Shanghai of new artistes. The choreography of "Don Quixote" was created by N. M. Sokolsky, producer, and it is based upon the most interesting episodes and adventures of Don Quixote and his faithful servant Sancho Panza.

The part of the beautiful Dulcinea will be played by Miss Audrey King, English ballerina whom everyone remembers by her appearances with Le Ballet Russe during the last season. Her worthy partner, portraying the part of Magician Merlin, will be F. Shevlugin. Kitry, the beautiful bride, will be danced by E. Bobinina.

Menjelei and Seroff

The parts of the Beautiful Lady Belerma and of the Knight Durante will be portrayed by O. Menjelei and B. Seroff, new additions to the cast of Russian Ballet.

Don Quixote will be played by Sokolsky and there is no doubt that he will create an unforgettable image of this miraculous personage. His faithful Sancho Panza will be interpreted by N. Kniazeff, a part which will permit him to reveal his mimical and comical talents.

Dora Yanover will appear in a flaming Spanish dance with four cavaliers. The acting and dancing of E. Baranova in the role of Maritornes will be of much interest. In colourful dances will appear Mlles Vorob, Larskaya, Lisner and large corps-de-ballet. Mimical parts will be in the hands of Ed. Eliroff, Wiener, Tomsky, Bodrostin, Doder and others. An ensemble of very young ballerinas with Joy Blackwood in the lead will enchant with their youthful grace.

Special scenery by M. Domracheff, beautiful costumes, symphony orchestra conducted by Maestro A. Sloutsky will complete the fascinating picture of the old Spain.

This production of Le Ballet Russe is said to surpass all previous ones in beauty of settings and costumes, vivid and sparkling dancing and amusing situations.

One of Hollywood's finest friendships is that between Freddie Bartholomew and Ray Sperry, his "stand-in." While most child stars have to change "stand-ins" almost yearly because children grow differently in height and weight, Ray has been Freddie's "stand-in" and pal ever since "David Copperfield," Master Bartholomew's first picture, made four years ago.

"Trade Winds" Now in Production

Tay Garnett's location trip round the world two years ago is finally bearing fruit on the screen. Walter Wanger's "Trade Winds," which Garnett is now directing, will be the first picture to utilize back-grounds he shot while in the Orient. Knowing from experience that camera crews sent on undirected location trips are wasteful and frequently unsuccessful, Garnett prepared three stories with foreign settings in 1935 and, accompanied by James Shackleford, Roy Chapman Andrew's camera man on the Gobi Desert expeditions, took his own yacht to the Far East to obtain background scenes which he knew, as a director, would be valuable.

"Trade Winds" will star Fredric March and Joan Bennett in an international detective story, opening in San Francisco and progressing successively to Hawaii, Kobe, Shanghai, Indo-China, Malaya, Ceylon, Bombay, the Laccadive Islands, which Garnett was the first white man to visit in forty years, and finally back again to San Francisco. Shots of the Chapei area in Shanghai, which will be used in the picture, can never be duplicated because the Japanese have since destroyed the section.

Because of the method of production, a great part of the picture will be shot in process, and the backgrounds will have a degree of authenticity heretofore impossible. Eighty auxiliary sets have been constructed, but all have been restricted in size in an effort, according to Alexander Toluboff, Wanger's art director, to maintain the transient feeling which a chase half-way round the world requires.

"Sing While You're Able"

Pinky Tomlin and Toby Wing are at the Cathay today.

Big Prices Paid for Good Pictures

Odd that Samuel Goldwyn, world famous for his startling errors in diction, should be one producer in Hollywood who sincerely believes "the story is the thing." His entire production policy is based on that belief and he backs his conviction by the expenditure of sums that would give the ordinary studio mogul heart failure.

Any scenario or dialogue writer who has taken Sam's fancy can fill in his own salary check, and the sky is the limit when Goldwyn decides to buy a story. He paid the unheard-of price of $165,000 for screen rights to "Dead End," $160,000 for "Dodsworth," something like $100,000 for Edna Ferber's "Come and Get It." In each case he added another vast fortune to his story budget by hiring a battery of the highest-priced scenarists in town to do the screen adaptation. Both "The Lady and the Cowboy," now shooting, and "The Last Frontier," next on his schedule, will show about $150,000 apiece for story cost.

Publicity Given Shirley Temple

Her Recent Boston Illness Handled Adroitly by Fox News Department

Now that Shirley Temple and her parents are back in Hollywood from vacation, the Fox publicity department is settling down to complacent calculation of the newspaper space garnered by their "box-office-number-one." Accustomed as these press agents have become to the Temple phenomenon, even they are pleasantly amazed at the success of Shirley's stomach upset in Boston, from a publicity standpoint.

Behind this triumph in public relations is a tale of five sleepless days and nights for Shirley's staff. When the child was stricken at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Boston, the distraught Mrs. Temple conferred with the press agent in attendance and with Ed Wyner, owner of the hotel, and decided that the whole affair must be conducted in a high-class way.

Throughout the trip Mrs. Temple had been unflagging in her efforts to keep the public from being disappointed, and she didn't let them down now. Mr. Wyner turned the sample room of the Ritz-Carlton into a press office and served coffee and sandwiches hourly; and at 10 a.m. every day of the five days that Shirely was ill Mrs. Temple left her daughter's bedside briefly to hold a press audience in conjunction with Drs. Higgins and Lewis of Boston, the physicians in attendance.

Nightly Call by "Daily Mirror"

The Boston papers assigned men to three eight-hour shifts, and the wire services called incessantly for the latest bulletins. At midnight every night the London "Daily Mirror" inquired by transatlantic telephone as to Shirley's condition. Her temperature rose to 103.5 degrees, and even the "Christian Science Monitor" ran her picture on the front page.

The "Boston Globe" photographer set up a telescopic camera on the Common across the street and persuaded the children gathered under Miss Temple's window to set up a chant, intoning "We want Shirleeee." The great-hearted child appeared and waved and the photographer got his picture from seventeen stories below.

Only one problem remained for the little band of intrepid souls at the Ritz-Carlton—the distribution of Shirley's first convalescent portrait. The physicians ruled that no more than one photographer could be admitted to her room, so a press conference was held and a representative selected—the resourceful gentleman from the "Globe." He was admitted to the presence; she sat up in bed and bravely smiled; he shot two plates and retired.

Then the trouble began. The morning papers wanted the picture released in the evening and the evening papers wanted them in the morning. After long arbitration, 10 p.m. was chosen as the hour, so that the home editions of the morning papers and the street editions of the afternoon papers would get the breaks. These pictures ran in so many journals throughout the country that even the gentlemen at Fox cannot estimate the magnitude of their achievement.

C. Aubrey Smith has been signed by Alexander Korda to play the important role of General Burroughs in the technicolour production of "Four Feathers." Smith was about to leave England, where he had been honoured by His Majesty, King George VI, and named a Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, when Korda gave him a script of "Four Feathers" and proffered the role. Smith was so impressed with the story, he recalled his luggage and automobile from the Brittanic, began studying the scenario on a Saturday and reported to Denham the following Monday.

A.D.C. Club Evening

The first Club Evening of the season will be held at the Lyceum Theatre on Friday, October 28 at 9.15 p.m.

Owing to the difficult situation at Shanghai a year ago, it was only possible to give one of these popular gatherings; this year, the Committee of the A.D.C., however, hope to revive the interest in them. To this end, a special feature will be made on this occasion when a complete "Musical Revue" written, composed and produced by Mr. Alec Davies will be presented. He will be supported by a company of nine artistes who have been busily engaged rehearsing during the past few weeks. Some very spirited and attractive choruses are included in the programme as well as amusing short sketches.

It is some years since the A.D.D. presented an entertainment of this type and it is fully expected that this welcome revival of a delightful form of entertainment will be much appreciated by the members and their many friends.

Tickets are obtainable from the Secretary and at Messrs. Moutrie's.

After completing a featured role in "Meet The Girls," June Lang was rushed to England, to play the leading feminine role in "So This Is London," to be produced by 20th Century-Fox. Upon her return to Hollywood, Miss Lang will go before the cameras in "Hello, Reno," second of the Modern Big Town Series, of which "Meet The Girls" was the first.

Bob Burns Accident

Injured in a railroad accident recently which narrowly missed taking off his right leg, Bob Burns was placed under a doctor's care for a foot injury. Bob's narrow escape came when he leaped off a Southern Pacific freight train at Chino, California, while acting in a scene in Paramount's "The Arkansas Traveller," in which Bob plays a hobo printer.

Two freight cars uncoupled a split second before Bob jumped, and one of them bore down on him. The truck on one of the freight cars twisted the actor's leg in such a way that he was incapacitated.

When returned to Hollywood Bob was given an X-ray examination, which revealed that the injury, while painful, was not serious. Doctors said that Burns would have to stay off his foot until the bad sprain was healed.

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CENSORS AND MORALE

That the editors of Chinese newspapers in Hongkong have sent a message protesting against the censorship of war news from Canton, and the dissemination of incorrect reports is not to be wondered at, for judging from what has appeared in recent months in the Hongkong journals and comparing it with the facts as they were ultimately revealed, it is apparent that the Hongkong public has not been kept well informed. The prevention of the spread of news likely to be of interest to the enemy is always a legitimate function of any command, but the suppression of the news of victories or defeats does not come within that category. Obviously the enemy is perfectly well aware whether he has been victorious or defeated, and the publication of such information or its suppression can have no real military significance. The question does arise, however, whether, for the purpose of fostering morale, such news should not be withheld from the public. It is quite likely that if the Chinese had all along been kept acquainted with the military reverses they have been suffering their morale might have seriously deteriorated. On the other hand it might not, and it is only by empiric test that the best method in the circumstances can be ascertained. The Chinese editors in Hongkong claim that they should be given correct information no matter how unpalatable it may be, and there may be much sound common sense in that contention. Nevertheless there are certain circumstances surrounding the Japanese descent upon Kwangtung which may make the Chinese military reluctant to permit the public knowing the dimensions of the blow which is apparently being inflicted in this latest development. Undoubtedly the rapidity with which the Japanese have advanced into the interior since their landing in Bias Bay, and the comparatively feeble resistance which has been offered to them, may not only afford some ground for Chinese criticism of their military command, but may induce panic which must be avoided if sterner opposition is to be effected.

The amazing feature of this latest development is that while the possibility of it occurring was recognized,—that is indicated by the construction of concrete defences and the like,—the Chinese were so completely taken by surprise that they were unable to take up the positions which had already been prepared. Indeed it would seem that the Chinese either completely ignored the potentialities of the situation, or were convinced for some reason or other that the Japanese would never land troops in the south. Yet it has been apparent for months past, and the Japanese have publicly discussed it, that sooner or later the Japanese command would take the action they have. The only real cause for wonder is that they have delayed so long in doing it. The main reason for the delay, apart from purely political considerations, appears to have been the desire of the Japanese command to force the Chinese to concentrate upon the defence of Hankow, and the manner in which the Chinese have committed most of their material to that area suggests that reports to the effect that the only material available to resist the Japanese consists of provincial levies without any mechanized assistance are in the main correct. The problem which the Chinese have to solve is whether they can afford to detail reinforcements from the Hankow area to assist in the defence of Canton, or abandon Hankow in the hope of saving Canton, or remain where they are and let the southern port go. The speed with which the Japanese are advancing in the south will in all probability decide the matter for them, for if they do succeed in reaching the Canton-Hankow Railway from Waichow via Lungmoon the principal route for Chinese reinforcements will have been severed making it impossible for them to reach Canton in time for it to be saved. On the map the time factor seems already to be operating against the Chinese and they will in all probability continue their stand around Hankow, for a division of their strength now would seem to be fatal.

With the development of the Japanese manœuvres the magnitude of the grandiose scheme behind them becomes apparent. For some time there has been talk of the Japanese domination of China's coastal provinces, but as time passes it is being demonstrated that the Japanese contemplate the occupation of the territory between the railways stretching from Canton to Peiping and the coast. Just where their western frontier would be is not at the moment clear, but it is manifest that Japanese control of Canton, and the railway would permit of the easy maintenance of their troops along a line of communications somewhere behind their front. Successful development of such a plan would produce a similar situation north of the Yangtze, with the result that such a line with ports available in the south, on the Yangtze and the north connected with railways would permit of the maintenance of a well-organized and supplied front against Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek in the southwest and west of China. It is indeed a grandiose scheme which will undoubtedly involve Japan more deeply in China than she originally contemplated. The task of establishing control over the area so bounded must prove a difficult one, probably requiring more men than have at present been brought to China. Even in the north where some provinces have been overrun for nearly a year it cannot be said that the Japanese have established full control. They have it is true command of the outlets and lines of communication but the activities of the guerillas clearly prove that the task of subjugation is still a long way from completion, which stage indeed it may never reach. So long as Chiang Kai-shek can keep his armies intact it can never be said that he is beaten, and the opportunities of harassing the Japanese will always remain. If the Chinese are willing even now to accept the prospect of many years of hostilities which may be still ahead of them they may yet present Japan with a victory, pyrrhic in its expensiveness. That will entail the maintenance of good morale amongst the Chinese. Their officials may be right in believing that revelation of unpalatable fact may weaken that morale, though from the evidence provided by the past behaviour of the Chinese in this struggle indicates that the publication of the truth would probably do no very great harm.

Over the Bridge

Peace and war are strangely contrasting but congenial factors over the bridge in Hongkew nowadays. It is nearly a year since the hostilities shifted from this area and peace descended on Shanghai but while the present Japanese population of Hongkew exceeds the pre-hostilities figure, to all intents and purposes, it is still a military area with khaki as dominant a colour as any civilian hues. Some thousands of Chinese are reported to have resumed residence and many thousands more enter the district daily as labour at the mills and factories but they adhere to well-defined limits and the impression is left that if ever Hongkew were considered a Japanese area it is definitely so at present. Sand bags and barbed wire circumscribe the area, military police assist the Municipal police in addition to guards at street corners, there are the perambulating groups of soldiers, off duty or on leave, doing their shopping in streets which are predominantly Japanese and which are making a brave attempt to remain so although there is a great deal of Chinese labour in the shops. To cross into Hongkew nowadays from the crowds and hurlyburly of the rest of the International Settlement is like entering a quiet and secluded suburb for the emptiness which forces itself upon the imagination is an indication of what this area meant to Shanghai when it was the home of hundreds of thousands of Chinese, living, trading and working. And it also adds point to the question why it should not be re-opened and what obstacles, if any, really prevent such a decision being carried out and Hongkew restored to its former status. The symbol of authority, of course, is military even to the shops where soldiers cling to their swords and their rifles even while inspecting goods and making their purchases. As a base and a sort of a rest camp Hongkew will retain its military complexion for Shanghai still is Japan's main headquarters for China penetration while no disruption of circumstances is likely to deprive it of its commercial and economic importance. Among the scores of diplomatic issues under discussion in Tokyo between Prince Konoye and Sir Robert Craigie, the British Ambassador, the re-opening of this area is one of the most important for Shanghai as a community. Whatever weighty objections there may be obstructing the diplomatic settlement of this single issue they are not visible in Hongkew.

Sparing the Countryside

One encouraging fact emerging from the new Japanese campaign in South China is that the advance has hitherto been so rapid that one part traversed by the Japanese since they landed at Bias Bay hardly saw the invaders and has escaped the scars of war which have bitten so deeply into the Shanghai-Nanking area. It is reported that the Chinese inhabitants have returned to their homes, and the troops are exceeding themselves in showing orderliness in their passage, even going to the extent of sweeping out a primary school occupied by them temporarily before continuing their march. Other places have not suffered so lightly for Tsangshing was reduced to ruins by Japanese aeroplanes and artillery and many villages have been added to the pile of destruction accumulated since hostilities started in China. Whether there will be more determined resistance as the Japanese approach Canton is a question for the Chinese General Staff. In any event, if the decision is to be settled in this way it is hoped that the initial example of fair treatment for the occupied country will be continued even if to do penance for activities in this part of China. The Shanghai-Nanking chapter is not a praiseworthy contribution to the history of a proud military nation as far as occupation is concerned. Between the two sides there has been an appalling record of destruction in war and a lot discreditable in the aftermath. When foreign observers made their inventory of Nanking and balanced the war damage they found that destruction through direct military necessities was an exceedingly small proportion of the total. Other towns have similar tales to tell and therefore the new methods in South China will help the Japanese army to redeem itself in the eyes of people who viewed their earlier efforts with abhorrence.

Grace Darling

Today ninety-six years ago died the heroine of a story which is dear to most school children in Great Britain,—Grace Darling. Daughter of a lighthouse keeper, she and her father were tending the Longstone (Farne Islands) lighthouse on September 7, 1838, when the Forfarshire, bound from Hull to Dundee, with sixty-three passengers on board, struck on the Farne Islands, forty-three being drowned. The wreck was seen from the light-house and Darling and his daughter determined to try and reach the survivors. They fully realized that though they might reach the wreck, they would be unable to return without the assistance of the people they were endeavouring to save, but without hesitation the father and his delicate, twenty-three-year-old daughter decided to take the risk. It was a combination of daring, strength and skill which enabled the two to reach the wreck in their coble. They brought back four men and a woman. Darling and two of the rescued men then returned to the vessel and brought off four of the remaining survivors. This gallant exploit made Darling and his daughter famous throughout the whole of Britain. The Royal Humane Society awarded them its gold medal, the Treasury made a grant and a public subscription was organized for them. Four years later, on October 20, 1842, Grace Darling died of consumption, but her gallantry lives to be told again and again in schools where young children are just commencing to read. For that reason she is looked upon as the children's heroine, for there is little doubt that her brave assistance of her father captured the public imagination, and while his courage was generally admitted, it was the hardihood of the young woman, who if she had not gone to the assistance of her fellows would not have been criticised, which made such a deep impression that the one act of Grace Darling has established her in history.

IN PARENTHESIS

Retort Courteous

"You don't like my pastry? Why, I was making pastry before you were born."

"Maybe you were, but why serve it now?"

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Worse

"HAVE you heard of Mrs. Loudspeaker's misfortune?"

"Heavens! Has she lost her voice?"

"No, her husband has lost his hearing."

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True Enough

SCHOOL Teacher: "Johnny, can you tell me the difference between perseverance and obstinacy?"

Johnny: "One is a strong will, and the other is a strong won't."

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Real Humour

AT the Crystal Theatre last week, a woman wearing one of those creations known as the latest thing in hats seated herself in front of Jim. Suddenly she bethought herself and, turning round, said: "Pardon me, sir, but if my hat is interfering with your seeing the comedy, I'll take it off."

"Please don't, madam," replied Jim. "The hat's much funnier."

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Mates for Men

WE men are delighted in our superior way—hardly superior, on second thoughts: but you know what we men are—to hear that training-for-marriage classes have been over-whelmed by girls who are anxious to learn all about dressmaking, cookery, domestic economy, and, generally, being worthy of a husband.

We hope—we men—that classes for prospective husbands may have an equal success. We should like to hear of qualified teachers emphasising, from their own experience, the value of unexpected little presents to deserving wives, of words of praise, of encouraging kisses dropped on meek heads out of season.

We only doubt the existence of enough qualified teachers. Or are we too modest?

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Ho-Hum

SPEAKING of revealing handwriting secrets, does your fountain pen always go glub at critical moments too?

A motion picture star says that married love depends on what you eat. How true that is, girlie. For instance, onions.

Fresh bread, says an item, is old as the pyramids of Egypt. One is sure one cannot say. But almost anybody can remember a professedly fresh doughnut that would have qualified.

The Polish nation, once the object of much sympathy in the United States because of Russia's oppression, is now charged by Ukrainians with denial of all civil rights to their fellow countrymen within the borders of Poland.

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Senator Soaper Says—

WE can remember, as if it were yesterday, when the comic strips and Hitler were comic. Then came melodrama.

Tip to the Popular Science editor: How about one of those graphic comparisons of the fuehrer's horse with our public debt, for height?

"Don't lie unless you're good at it," is Hendrik Van Loon's advice to a friend. There may be another golfer in the crowd.

An Ohioan who took $50,000 into the stock market years ago retires with $50,000. It is a smart operator today who gets out on the ground floor.

His season almost done, the box-score condenser can lend the atlas-maker a hand. The problem is to squeeze "Czechoslovakia" into an inch of map.

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Dear Old Pals

"HEIGH-ho, pal," sighed the spokesman of the Dear Old Pals, Jolly Old Pals, "there is still little cause for madcap mirth, eh?"

"Very little," I said.

"I'll bet you often wish that a crisis was conducted more on the lines of a slapstick film."

"I'll bet I do."

"It's the strain, isn't it, pal? It affects us all, and then we have a reaction. We begin to see things."

"Yes, I suppose we do."

"Showers of custard-pies, floors falling out of motor-cars, so that the passengers have to run miles, tea-cups that play tunes when you pick them up, thickly glued conference chairs, and revolving doors....supposing, pal, that the people who start these crises got stuck in revolving doors for ever—"

"For ever and ever...."

"Yes. They'd simply have to laugh, wouldn't they?"

"Yes: and it wouldn't be much sillier than a crisis, would it?"

"No. Well, cheero, pal," he said, weeping.

"Cheero, pal," I said, choking back my tears.

THE WEATHER

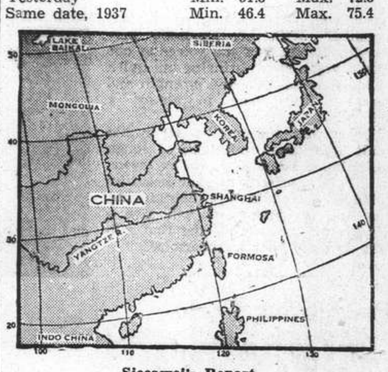
Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	55.0	Max.	71.0
Same date, 1937	Min.	52.0	Max.	73.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	51.3	Max.	72.3
Same date, 1937	Min.	46.4	Max.	75.4



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 18th:—High pressures over China and Japan. The typhoon, to the east of the Loochoos, is moving north-north-eastward. Variable breezes around Shantung; northerly to easterly winds over our regions, the Eastern Sea and Formosa. Fine to cloudy weather in China.

State on the morning of the 19th:—Rather high anticyclone over China, Korea and Japan. The typhoon, to the west of the Bonin, is advancing north-north-eastward.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine to cloudy weather and variable breezes around Shantung. Overcast with possible rain over our regions. Cloudy over the Eastern Sea and Formosa. Winds from the north-eastern quadrant along the Coast to the south of the Yangtze. The typhoon to the east of the Loochoos seems to be stationary. Typhoon signal: Approximate position of the centre, at 2 p.m., within 120 miles, latitude 26, longitude 138, stationary. Intensity: unknown.—Siccawei Observatory.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

IN MEMORY OF MRS. M. PASTER.

To the Hebrew Shelter House:—

Messrs. Capeluto and Ashkenazi	$10.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson	$ 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. K. Gurevich	$ 5.00
Mr. and Mrs. D. Ashkenazi	$ 5.00
Mr. Yanover	$ 5.00

Japanese Capture of Sheklung Confirmed

Chinese Preparing to Make Definite Stand; 100,000 Men on Canton-Kowloon Railway; New Threat to Move to Cut Railway

Hongkong, Oct. 19.

WITH the Japanese now reported to be making rapid progress in their drive towards Canton, and Sheklung, only 35 miles away, now in the hands of the invaders, there is a growing belief here that the Chinese will now make a definite stand to hold their inner lines within a 15-mile radius of Canton. Chinese reinforcements are reported to be hurrying southwards from the Hankow front, and also from Kwangsi.

From Canton, Kwangsi troops continue streaming through on their way to the battle-front, and it estimated that a total of 100,000 men are already in the area round the Canton-Kowloon Railway.

The Chinese authorities continue to deny reports of Japanese successes, stating that no major push have yet been attempted by the invaders, who are said to be awaiting the arrival of reinforcements.

Among the successes claimed by the Japanese, and denied by the Chinese, is the entry by Japanese troops at 10 a.m. today of Tsangshing, on the Poklo-Canton Railway to the north-east of Sheklung. The capture of Sheklung, at first strongly rumoured, was definitely confirmed late today.

Unofficial Japanese sources claimed that the Japanese reached the outskirts of Sheklung last night, while the Chinese admitted that the Japanese were, at that time, but a few miles distant from the town. It was further stated that the entire stretch of the Canton-Kowloon Railway between Cheungmuktau and Sheklung was now in Japanese hands.

25 Miles from Bocca Tigris

Other Japanese detachments, proceeding west from the railway, were said to have reached a point only 25 miles from the Bocca Tigris forts.

With the Japanese making swift progress in their thrusts from the east and from the west of the Canton-Kowloon Railway, a new threat to Canton now appears to be developing.

Part of the Japanese forces advancing from the vicinity of Waichow are now said to have been deflected in a northerly direction towards Lungmen, apparently with the intention of pushing towards the west, cutting the Canton-Kowloon Railway, and thus isolating Canton from the north.

In the first interview given to any correspondent since the outbreak of the present phases of the hostilities. Chinese military authorities at Canton informed Reuter last night that there was no change in the situation in the Waichow area.

They affirmed that the main body of the Japanese troops was consolidating its position there, and was awaiting reinforcements preparatory to making a drive towards Canton.

Chinese Confident

The spokesman said that the Chinese military authorities were confident of their ability to hold back the invaders. He confirmed reports that the next development would be a major engagement on this front.

Hongkong newspapers are violently denouncing "Canton's supreme commander," General Yu Han-mou, demanding his resignation for alleged incompetence and failure to resist the Japanese invasion.

It is believed that the famous Kwangsi generals, Li Tsung-jen and Pai Chung-hsi, may shortly assume command of the Chinese forces in South China. Chinese military authorities in Canton used an ingenious method today to requisition Canton's entire hire car fleet.

Agents hired the vehicles, which were ordered to drive to military headquarters.

When they arrived there, the gates were closed, and the drivers dismissed.

Press reports that numbers of Japanese planes had been shot down throughout Kwangtung Province found no official confirmation here.

Bomber Shot Down at Poklo

It was stated, however, that at least one Japanese bomber had been shot down at Poklo, while it was also reported that several squadrons of Chinese pursuit planes had arrived in South China, and had begun engaging the Japanese raiders.

Pamphlets have been dropped by Japanese planes, addressed to General Wu Teh-chen, Governor of Kwangtung, Gen. Yu Han-mou, Pacification Commissioner, Mr. Tseng Yang-fu, Mayor of Canton, and other officials, advising them to "surrender on pain of extermination.

The pamphlets claim that the three Wuhan cities, Hankow, Hanyang and Wuchang have already been occupied by the Japanese.

Reports from Swatow state that 60 Japanese motor-boats passed at 11 a.m. today heading for Hongkong, escorted by a small tanker. It is believed that they will be used for the operations in the Pearl River Delta.

Many Chinese are leaving Swatow, which remains calm. The garrison has been augmented by Fukien troops, and militia units. A strong monsoon makes a landing here improbable, according to the local military authorities.

In Canton, evacuation is proceeding at a rapid pace, the evacuees including foreign employees of the Chinese Government working for industrial enterprises, whose homeward passages have been arranged.

It is understood that the Chinese authorities are mining various plants, including the cement works at Saichuen, the paper mills at Honam, and the power plant on the East Bund, which will be destroyed in the event of the complete evacuation of the city.—Reuter.

Hongkong, Oct. 19.

With the Japanese advance in South China meeting with spectacular success, informed foreign observers here disclosed that Gen. Chiang Kai-shek is undecided whether to save Canton or the Wuhan cities.

They added that it is the general opinion among Chinese here that Canton should be saved rather than Hankow inasmuch as the former is nearer the sea. Hongkong and French Indo-China, it was pointed out, are also near.

If Canton is lost, foreign quarters emphasized, Japan will be able, both commercially and politically, to dominate foreign interests. In such an event, it was added, the Powers would lose all interest in South China.

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Japanese Push On Hankow

Vital Points Occupied By Invaders; Yangtze Forces Make Advance

Japanese detachments which captured the two strategic towns of Tehan and Yangsin a few hours apart on Tuesday were mopping up Chinese stragglers in those sectors and already are extending their operations farther south along the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway, according to Domei reports.

Other units were advancing in the vicinity of Liuchiashan, west of Lake Poyang, after inflicting heavy losses on Chinese troops there, with the assistance of Army and Navy aircraft, the headquarters of the Japanese expeditionary Force in Central China claim.

In decisive engagements in this sector the Chinese left many slain and lost undetermined quantities of arms. Despite many difficulties the Japanese columns had been advancing since October 7 against about fifteen Chinese divisions in the mountainous region southwest of Tehan, the statement concluded.

In the Tapieh Mountain range Japanese troops pushed their lines to the Sinpuchieh area in pursuit of Chinese retreating from the heights in front of Taipingchai, ten kilometres north of Kwangtsi, captured.

A Domei field dispatch received here by way of Tokyo stated that the fighting which raged for 20 days before the capture of Mount Sishan in the Tapieh range probably was the hardest that had taken place since the start of hostilities. Mount Sishan lies east of the Macheng-Shangcheng Highway.

Naval Party Mops Up

A naval landing party which captured Shihhweiyao finished mopping-up operations there, the headquarters of the Japanese China Sea Fleet announced in an official communiqué on Tuesday.

Booty seized in the Shihhweiyao area comprised 5,000 bags of wheat flour, 9,000 tons of coal, 10,000 logs, 500 sacks of soya beans, 25 freight cars, four heavy guns of 11.5-cm. calibre and one 23-mm. machine gun.

The naval units were enlarging their scope of operations in the Shihhweiyao area despite repeated counter-attacks, the statement continued. Vessels on the Yangtze were continuing mine-sweeping operations, keeping pace with the progress of the land units.

Assisting infantry operating west of Sichaishan, naval air squadrons bombed Chinese positions and artillery bases at Hwangshihkang and Wuwangmiao, causing heavy damage, the communiqué claimed.

The naval raiders attacked Kwangshui, Sanchiatien and Yangchiachai on the Peiping-Hankow Railway, and Shinning, Yoyang, Chunchopu, Kweiyi, Tungcheng and Tsuchow on the Canton-Hankow Railway.

Several scores of Army planes raided the station at Chuchow, junction of the Canton-Hankow and Chuchow-Pinghsiang Railways in Hunan, and demolished various communication establishment.

Facilities for the transportation of troops between many points in Central and South China were disrupted by the raid, the communiqué claimed.

Chinese Troops Bombed

Naval bombers meanwhile attacked Chinese troops north of Tehan while assisting infantry units. Picked aircraft were assigned to the special mission of destroying the Chinese transportation routes and carried out surprise raids on the Canton-Hankow and Pinghan lines.

They demolished or set on fire a large number of godowns and buildings attached to the stations and wrecked 30 to 50 freight cars loaded with munitions. Tracks were claimed to have been blasted apart at countless places.

All the planes managed to get back to their bases although they encountered intense fire from anti-aircraft batteries, the communiqué said.

Heavy damage was said to have been done to Chinese positions and communication facilities by large squadrons of bombers which carried out continuous raids on many places in Central China in co-operation with infantry and the fleet advancing up the Yangtze.

Freight cars and sections of track of the Pinghan and Canton-Hankow Railways were demolished, this statement said.

British Diplomats For Chungking

Hankow, Oct. 19.

A British diplomatic mission, including Mr. J. D. Greenway, Mr. C. M. Alport, and Maj. Scott, will leave here for Chungking at daylight tomorrow.

They will travel aboard the British gunboat Tern, which will contact the British gunboat Falcon probably at Shasi. The Falcon will take the members of the Embassy party for the remainder of the journey.

The Tern will return to Hankow immediately, while the Falcon will relieve the gunboat Gannet at Chungking. The Gannet, in turn, will relieve the Peterel at Ichang, and the Peterel will come down to Hankow.

This means that, during the emergency period in Hankow, the gunboats Gnat, Mantis, Tern and Peterel will be in port, while the Sandpiper will be at Changsha.—Reuter.

Tension Rises Still Higher In Palestine

More Drastic Action Becomes Necessary

Jerusalem, Oct. 19.

Aeroplanes dropped pamphlets over the city this morning warning the residents not to leave their homes today as military operations are to be carried out.

All schools are closed today, and by noon, the streets were entirely deserted with the exception of troops and armoured cars.

Sir Harold MacMichael, the High Commissioner, confined these exceptional measures to the Jerusalem district in order to concentrate the entire forces at his disposal on maintaining order in the old city.

It is generally expected that wide-scale military operations will be undertaken later.

Major-General Richard Rubert O'Connor has been appointed Commander of the forces operating in the Jerusalem district.—Havas.

London, Oct. 19.

New proposals for Palestine will be submitted to the Cabinet today by Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, according to the "Daily Telegraph."

In the light of the Woodhead Committee findings, the proposals involve the abandonment of the scheme of partition, which, the newspaper understands, was reported to be neither equitable nor fully practicable.

The proposals include stern action to restore order, drastic means to checks anti-British propaganda, and the initiation of negotiations directed ultimately at the establishment of a unified state under British guidance, to enable Jews and Arabs to work in harmony.

Mr. MacDonald was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace last evening.—Reuter.

U.S. Reply to Arabs

Washington, Oct. 19.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, commented yesterday on a cable from the pro-Arab Palestine Defence Society, which protested against America's "interference" in Palestine.

He said that, since the inception of the movement for a Jewish national home in Palestine, the attitude of the American Government had been made clear at every important stage.

The State Department, Mr. Hull added, would take all necessary measures for the protection of American rights and interests in Palestine.—Reuter.

Emergency Laws in Palestine

Jerusalem, Oct. 19.

A special gazette, which appeared late yesterday, contained an order, under the Emergency Regulations, placing the entire police force under military control.

Sir Harold MacMichael, the High Commissioner of Palestine, acting under the Defence Regulations, authorized the appointment of military commanders to take over from the District Commissioners.

Two members of the Royal Air Force were wounded here yesterday afternoon.

Major-General O'Connor, Commanding the 7th Division, has been appointed Military Governor of Jerusalem.

It is officially stated that British troops will enter the old city of Jerusalem today, to eradicate the rebels.—Reuter.

Arabs Hold Own Areas

Jerusalem, Oct. 18.

With the Arab rebels controlling virtually all Arab sections of Palestine, the Arab Provisional Government established courts in mosques, it was reported today.

Although approximately 25,000 British troops and police in Palestine were prepared to take drastic action and were placed almost on wartime basis, they were only in control of the immediate areas surrounding their headquarters.

The Arabs have declared a general strike. This step was taken in retaliation for the failure by British troops to remove their boots when entering a mosque several days ago.

Growing antagonism forced the British police to evacuate from their posts at Bethlehem. They abandoned outlying police stations and also removed guards from the post offices, courts and health department. The British authorities also left the Government hospital.

Meanwhile, a French hospital refused to surrender two wounded Arabs to the British authorities on the grounds that the Provisional Government was controlling the area and therefore the French hospital officials must obey the Arabs to escape possible attacks by the Arabs.

Siege of Old City

In the first siege since Saladin's 12th Century sacking of the city, the Old City of Jerusalem was completely surrounded today by 2,000 British troops and 4,000 Jewish supernumerary policemen.

There were scenes reminiscent of the spirit of the Crusades as the troops laid siege to the Old City, although there was a touch of modernity as British aircraft hovered over the area and directed the movements of the British forces.

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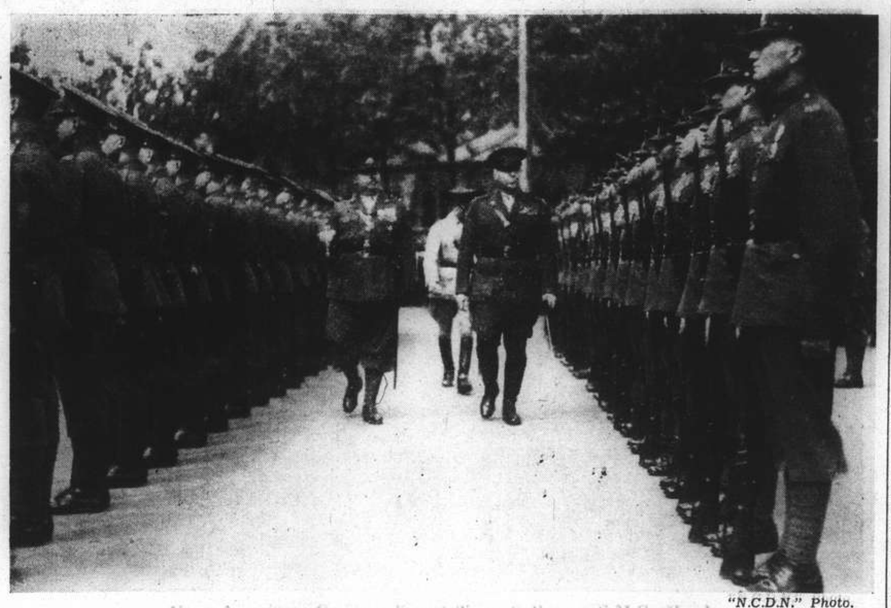

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

New American Commanding Officer Calls on S.M.C. Head

Col. J. C. Fegan, the new officer in command of the Fourth Regiment, United States Marine Corps, called yesterday morning on Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council. Col. Fegan is seen above inspecting the guard of honour provided by the Russian Regiment, S.V.C., outside the Administration Building.

Rumrich Tells Court How He Spied for Germany

U.S. Army Deserter Says He Must Blame England If Discovered; German War Ministry Involved

New York, Oct. 18.

BLUNTLY disregarding all diplomatic formalities, Mr. Lamar Hardy, United States District Attorney, today charged the "far-seeing eye of the German Military Intelligence Service" with concocting the most amazing espionage plot in the United States since the World War. Mr. Hardy intimated that the espionage system fostered by the German High Command was designed not merely to pry loose secrets of the American Army and Navy, but actually to weaken the defences of the United States, particularly in the Canal Zone.

Guenther G. Rumrich the first person arrested in the present spy investigation, a deserter from the United States Army and who has pleaded guilty and has turned state's evidence, created another sensation by testifying that Germany had succeeded in buying U.S. naval secrets. Rumrich said that Germany had strenuously made efforts to make contacts with members of the Du-Pont and Bethlehem armaments plants.

He named one Schmidt, reported assistant to the Chief of Naval Intelligence at Bremen, as having shown him two U.S.$1,000 bills for "someone in Brooklyn who supplies the Reich Naval Ministry with information concerning the gyroscope."

Earlier, Rumrich testified that Herr Otto Sanders, Assistant to Captain-Lieutenant Erich Pfeiffer of the German Intelligence Service, had relayed all the messages and espionage information from the United States to Germany.

Rumrich said that he had managed to reach Sanders through Chancellor Adolf Hitler's "Volkischer Beobachter."

He insisted that Sanders had specifically ordered him to learn the number of United States soldiers stationed along the eastern seaboard defence points and particularly the number of troops in active service in the New York city area.

German War Ministry Involved

The German War Ministry was brought into the picture by Rumrich in discussing an exchange of letters with Sanders concerning remuneration.

Rumrich said that Sanders had said that he would "take up the question with the War Ministry."

In 1936 he said that he gave Sanders "a couple of photographs . . . aerial views of the city and many shots of the parade grounds and barracks in the Panama Canal Zone.

Rumrich, throughout the day in the Federal Court, told in a colourless voice details of grandiose espionage plots which never fully materialized but which were only "piddling successes" for which he received remuneration.

Schmidt, he said, desired the coast defence mobilization plans but learned that they were locked up in Washington and could not possibly be obtained. Schmidt, however, obtained information that an abridged copy of the plans was held in safekeeping in the coast artillery headquarters.

Kidnapping of Colonel

On obtaining this information, Schmidt, according to Rumrich, suggested the kidnapping of Colonel H.W.T. Eglin, commander of the 62nd Coast Artillery at Fort Totten near New York City.

Schmidt planned, Rumrich testified, that he forged a staff officer's name to a message telling Colonel Eglin to appear at the Hotel McAlpin in New York and bring the eastern coast mobilization orders with him.

If the Colonel would be reluctant to relinquish the orders, Schmidt suggested that Rumrich use tear gas on him and steal the orders, leaving clues indicating that the work was that of Communists, Rumrich said.

German officials, however, seemed doubtful of the success of the plot and vetoed the plan at the last minute, Rumrich said.

In his first direct evidence against three other German defendants who are facing trial with him on charges of espionage and conspiracy, Rumrich told how he was introduced to Miss Johanna Hofmann, red-haired hairdresser of the German liner Europa.

Rumrich said that Miss Hofmann is "very well-known" to the Berlin War Ministry Bureau through messages which he claimed that she had carried.—United Press.

Put Blame on England

New York, Oct. 19.

Rumrich said: "I was instructed, in case of apprehension, to say that I was working for England. I was not to use any reference to Germany, but to say that I was working for 'Major Christopher Draper,' of a London address."

These instructions, according to Rumrich, came from a mysterious "Mr. Wiegand," whom Rumrich had met and from whom he had received money.

The accused added that Wiegand had told him to be very careful and to address his letters in the future (apart from those sent by messenger) to Mrs. Jessie Jordan, of Dundee, Scotland.—Reuter.

France Looks to Rearmament

Aircraft Constructors Have Hours Increased; Big Programme Ready

Paris, Oct. 19.

A 45-hour week, instead of a 40-hour week, for the men engaged in aircraft construction has been decreed by the Minister of Labour, M. Pomaret, in agreement with the Minister of Air, M. Guy Lachambre, and in accordance with the arbitration award, announced last April.

The Labour Ministry has agreed that extra payment shall be made for extra hours.

The Metal Workers Union in the Bordeaux region has refused to comply with the decree, and those engaged in aircraft construction have refused to work the extra hours.

M. Fernand Laurent, a member of the Army Commission of the Chamber of Deputies, regards the position of French armaments construction as so grave that he is to raise the subject in the Chamber. He urges that the extra hours, which are now worked, are insufficient and that the rate of production should be considerably further increased. He is also asking that the Army Commission be summoned to hear information which he has collected, during the past three months, on the state of French armament construction.—Reuter.

Armament Programme

Paris, Oct. 18.

The French air armament programme, which will eventually provide an air force with 4,000 military planes, is elucidated today in an article appearing in the "L'Intransigeant." The paper says the aim within the next few months is to increase the number of planes to 1,748 and within the next two years, France will possess 2,617 first-line planes exclusive of the reserve crafts.

This programme will place a heavy burden upon the country with a population of only forty millions which is already confronted with serious economic problems. Investments and credits to the extent of one milliard francs will be necessary for financing this project. Of this sum, 450 million francs will be necessary for state-controlled factories, 30 million for supporting private companies, 200 million for those private companies that supply the necessary raw materials and essential parts and 250 million for the decentralizing of the Hispano Motor Works in Carbeff and the Gnome Works in Le Mans.

The paper also states that through strict organization and efficiency measures, the number of working hours necessary for the construction of one plane has been cut in half.—Trans-Ocean.

Japanese Gain Possession of Large Hoards of Chinese Silver

Washington Informs Hankow Officials of Big Shipments; U.S.$100,000,000 Estimated Loss

Washington, Oct. 18.

Chinese sources were informed by U.S. Government officials today that Japan had gained possession of large quantities of monetary silver in China. There was little detail, however, and it was understood that the sum might exceed U.S.$100,000,000.

Government officials anticipated larger Japanese shipments of silver to the United States within the next few months.

It was understood that any large quantities of Chinese silver were welcome as a windfall in Tokyo where the monetary gold reserves were rapidly being spent for war materials.

Although it was known that China had moved the bulk of her silver holding to Hongkong, London and Paris at the start of the hostilities, a considerable quantity of monetary silver was stored in Peiping, Nanking, and Tientsin.

Some of these reserves may not have been moved away at the time that the cities fell into Japanese hands.

Japanese authorities, it was understood, claimed title to U.S.$56,000,000 in silver coins stored in the foreign concessions in Tientsin, but it could not be learned whether this sum was ever surrendered to the Japanese.—United Press.

Six R.A.F. Aviators Killed in Crash

Dunmow Park, Essex, Oct. 19.

Six Royal Air Force flyers were killed today when two Vickers-Wellesley bombers, manœuvreing above the town, crashed into each other and plummeted to the earth in flames.

A note was found near the plane, obviously expressing the aviators' last thoughts, before they crashed.

"What will the plane look like in a few minutes?" the note said.—United Press.

Poland Seeks Aid Of Rumania

Col. Beck Flies to See King Carol to Request Support for Hungary

Warsaw, Oct. 19.

Col. Josef Beck, the Polish Foreign Minister, left Warsaw at 6 o'clock yesterday evening on a surprise visit to Rumania, where he will meet King Carol whose support he is expected to enlist for the settlement of Hungary's claims in Ruthenia.—Reuter.

Hungary Impatient

Budapest, Oct. 19.

Hungarian impatience for a resumption of negotiations with Czechoslovakia on the boundary question is reflected in a leading article in the semi-official newspaper "Pester Lloyd," a pro-Government organ published in German, which declares:—

"The Czech Government must make up its mind to submit to Hungary within 24 hours, in the form of a Note, such proposals as may serve as the basis for a settlement through diplomatic channels. Should Prague not make this gesture, Hungary would decline to take any responsibility for the consequences of such a lack of political reason."—Reuter.

Prague Discounts Ultimatum

Prague, Oct. 19.

Reports from Budapest on Hungary's 24-hour ultimatum to Czechlovakia are discredited here, where all information points to an early resumption of negotiations between the two countries on the boundary question.

The Czechoslovak Government is hoping to improve the conditions agreed upon at Munich, and is chiefly concerned with saving the town of Kosice.

Broadcasting on the financial situation of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Kalfus, the Minister of Finance, stated yesterday that the loss of territory would cost the Republic 40 per cent. of its taxable capacity. It would not be possible, he declared, to reduce State expenditure to the same degree. Their task would be impossible, therefore, if they did not receive some outside help, such as that promised by the British and French Governments.

Note circulation, Dr. Kalfus added, had sunk by 500,000,000 kronen in the first half of October.—Reuter.

German-Czech Boundary

Berlin, Oct. 19.

The German and Czechoslovak Governments have agreed on the plan, disclosed yesterday, to map the Czech-German frontier by air photography.

The task will be undertaken by a German staff, using six German military aeroplanes and four civil aircraft with white squares painted under the wings.

This photometric survey is expected to be completed by October 27, instead of the six weeks which would have been taken by the local commissions originally proposed. The Czechoslovak Government will receive a positive print of each photograph taken, and the photographs will be used for the final delimitation of the frontier.—Reuter.

Germany Demobilizes On Saar Frontier

35,000 Labourers Remain For Fortification Work

Metz, Oct. 19.

Germany has started to demobilize all troops brought up to reinforce her defences on the French Saar and Luxembourg frontiers, during the recent crisis.

Heavy field artillery was withdrawn on Monday night, and since yesterday morning about seventeen regiments of infantry, cavalry and motorized units began to leave for the interior of Germany.

Reservists will be demobilized and soldiers, who have completed their periods of service, will be freed.

The men remaining include formations of the Labour Service Corps, numbering about 35,000, who are working day and night on the fortifications of the frontier from Aix-la-Chapelle to Strasbourg.—Reuter.

Britain Urged to Unite

Mr. Eden Calls for National Effort for Defence; Liberal Party Manifesto Appeals for Joint Action

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 19.

SPEAKING yesterday evening at the 122nd annual meeting of the International Peace Society, at Guildhall, Mr. Anthony Eden, former Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, referred to the fact that the day of the establishment of the rule of law in international affairs, for which millions the world over had ardently hoped after the last Great War, seemed once more to be receding. He declared his faith that that day would, nevertheless, come again.

"It is inevitable," Mr. Eden said, "because there never can be true peace nor true happiness where might is only right." Certain realities, however, had to be faced, including the fact that nations, whose internal economy was differently organized from the British, had outdistanced Great Britain in the arms race.

"The task, which now confronts us," Mr. Eden went on, "in organizing the nation for defence, which includes material armaments on a scale not hitherto contemplated—particularly in air and in anti-aircraft defence—is so formidable as to require united effort by every section of the community."

Such national effort to succeed, he said, must be based, in the broadest sense, on national confidence backed by national approval.

It demanded, therefore, a programme upon which the co-operation of all parties could be secured.

Such a programme, Mr. Eden thought, might be to promote unity and strength and, through unity and strength, to practice a sense of justice between nations and to uphold fair dealings in the world.

A sense of justice, he continued, was no less important than strength and unity.

Power to Uphold Right

It must be made clear to the world that Great Britain's greater strength would not be used to impose its will, but rather to uphold certain standards of international conduct, without which prosperity could not flourish nor peace endure.

It must, too, be made plain that it would not be used for the exclusive preservation of any privileges that Great Britain might enjoy.

The British, Mr. Eden declared, sought freer trade—fewer trade as well as fewer political barriers.

In conclusion, Mr. Eden said that hand in hand with the re-equipment of the nation for defence should go new effort on a national scale to deal with domestic problems, and, foremost among them, was that of unemployment, the continued existence of which, he thought, was a standing reproach to democracy.

Liberal Party Manifesto

A full meeting of the Executive of the Liberal Party Organization yesterday adopted a manifesto:—

1. Urging the establishment of a Government capable of regaining the confidence of the British people, and all peoples;

2. Declaring the readiness of the Liberal Party to subordinate mere Party considerations, and to co-operate heartily with the men and women of all Parties, who realize the gravity of the times;

3. Appealing to all citizens to join with it in working for the establishment of peace, the preservation of freedom and the defence of liberal civilization.

British Legion Leader Refuses Invitation

German Ex-Servicemen's Offer Held Inopportune

Berlin, Oct. 19.

Members of the British Legion, "who, in a chivalrous manner, placed themselves at the disposal of a just cause of peace in difficult times," have been invited to visit Germany, as guests of the German ex-Servicemen's League, from October 29 to November 11. The invitation was conveyed in a telegram to the British Legion, and signed by the Duke of Coburg, President of the League.—Reuter.

Legion Head Says "No"

London, Oct. 19.

Major-General Sir Francis Fetherston-Godley, Chairman of the British Legion, has stated that there is no likelihood of the Legion accepting the invitation to visit Germany.

"There is no question of the Legion going abroad until things are more settled in the international field," the Chairman declares.—Reuter.

Sandys Affair Report Published

Parliamentary Committee Gives Facts of Case

London, Oct. 18.

A report on proceedings of the Parliamentary Committee that investigated the circumstances of the recent Official Secrets Act case in the House of Commons, was published here today.

The report deals with incidents involving the War Secretary, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, and Mr. Duncan Sandys, Conservative M.P. for Norwood, Lambeth, who is son-in-law of Mr. Winston Churchill.

The whole case was given prominence when Mr. Sandys revealed that he had been "threatened with legal action" by the Attorney-General after refusing to reveal the source of certain "secret information" upon anti-aircraft defences in the London region.

The matter came before the House of Commons before Parliament adjourned, about three months ago.

According to the report issued today, Mr. Sandys burned two documents in his possession which might have implicated others in the case.—Havas.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 8 7/32d. U.S.$ 15 15/16c.

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, Oct. 19.

Higher prices for silver were fixed in London today, with quotations being listed at:

	Oct. 18	Oct. 19
London spot	19 11/16d.	19 13/16d.
" forward	19 3/4d.	19 7/8d.
" gold	146/2d.	145/8 1/2d.

London/New York:

One pound	U.S.$4.75 3/4	$4.77 5/16
One U.S. dollar	50.499d.	50.255d.

—Reuter.

Irish Question Not Pressing Issue

Ulster Prime Minister Declares His Faith in Imperial Defences

London, Oct. 19.

The statement on the partition problem in Ireland, made recently by Mr. Eamon de Valera, Prime Minister of Eire, does not require the immediate attention of the Ministers, it is understood, as it is felt that he reiterates a familiar theme, and that the attitude of the British Government is well known—namely, that the North and South must compose their own differences.

No meetings on this subject have been arranged to be held in London, where it is thought in official circles that, if any conferences are regarded as necessary, Dublin or Belfast would be more appropriate meeting places.

Viscount Craigavon, the Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, has said that there is no need for the slightest anxiety that any successful encroachment would be made on the integrity of Northern Ireland.

Ulster Under Empire Defence

Speaking before the Ulster Parliament yesterday, Lord Craigavon replied to a question put by the Independent Unionists whether "it is true that Northern Ireland is not adequately protected, and how is the border going to be made safe?"

"You need not be at all nervous about war precautions," was Lord Craigavon's reassuring answer.

"We are part and parcel of the United Kingdom, and the Imperial Parliament is equally responsible for defences here. I place absolute reliance on any steps taken in the event of national emergency." Reuter.

R.A.F. Training School In Persian Gulf

Maltese Forces Receive Increase in Pay

London, Oct. 18.

Five general reconnaisance aircraft will leave the Royal Air Force station at Thorney Island tomorrow and will fly to No. 4 flying training school at Abu Suer, in the Persian Gulf. They will proceed via Marseilles, Rome, Malta, Benghazi and Mersa Matruh. A further five aircraft will leave in a few days' time. All the craft are to be used for training purposes at No. 4 training school.

A press message from Gibralter today reports of a tribute to the conduct of all ranks of the garrison during the recent international crisis paid by General Sir Charles Harington, retiring Governor and Commander-in-Chief, of Gibralter, in his farewell speech. Sir Charles leaves for England next Monday on the termination of five years of office.

Considerable increase in the rates of pay of post 1925 soldiers of the Royal Malta Artillery and the Maltese section of the Royal Engineers are announced by the War Office today. It has also been decided that Maltese soldiers and widows and dependents shall be eligible for pension under conditions similar to those of the British personnel.—Wireless through Reuter.

British Envoy to Reich Takes Holiday

Sign that European Situation Quiet Seen in Respite

London, Oct. 19.

Sir Nevile Henderson, the British Ambassador in Berlin, will arrive in England today on a two or three weeks' leave.

This is taken as evidence that no serious developments in the European situation are expected in the near future.

The Ambassador will take an early opportunity of calling on the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Viscount Halifax.—Reuter.

French Envoy Bids Adieu To Herr Hitler

Fuehrer Sends Specially For M. Francois-Poncet

Berlin, Oct. 18.

M. Andre Francois-Poncet, French Ambassador, flew to Berchtesgaden today to take leave of Fuehrer Adolf Hitler before departing for his new post as Ambassador to Italy.

The envoy made the flight upon the Fuehrer's express invitation.

The French Government have requested the Reich's approval of their appointment of M. Robert Coulondre, envoy to Soviet Russia, as new Ambassador to Germany.

M. Francois-Poncet is expected to assume his post in Rome towards the end of this month.—Havas.

Anglo-Italian Pact Ratification Due

London, Oct. 18.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, will recommend to Parliament to ratify the pending Anglo-Italian friendship treaty on the basis of the Italian assurance that the withdrawal of Italian troops from Spain would continue until the evacuation exceeds 10,000 men, it was learned from reliable Government sources today.—United Press.

Thos. Cook & Son Chairman Dies

Distinguished Career of Sir John Wyldbore-Smith; Suez Canal Director

News was received by the local office of Thos. Cook & Son, Ltd. yesterday of the death of Sir Edmund Wyldbore-Smith, chairman of the company. As a mark of respect, the local office will be closed today. Sir Edmund, amongst other things, was also a Director of the Suez Canal Co. and of the British and Chinese Corporation.

Born in January 1877, he was the grandson of the late Sir John Wyldbore-Smith and son of the late Rev. Francis Alfred Smith, Rector of Tarrant Rushton, Blandford, Dorset. He was educated at Haileybury. Joining the consular service, he was Vice-Consul at Tangier in 1900, acting Consul 1900-1905 inclusive and Chargé d'Affaires during Sir Gerard Lowther's mission to Fez in 1905; and was then transferred to Canea, Crete, in 1907, being acting Consul-General there in 1907, 1908 and 1909.

In 1910, he was seconded for service at the Exhibitions Branch of the Board of Trade and in 1911 was Assistant Commissioner at the International Exhibition in Turin. The following year he was a British delegate to the Berlin Conference on International Exhibitions and in 1914 was British Commissioner of the Book Exhibition at Danzig.

War Service

During the war he was director of the International Commission for the Purchase of Supplies for the Allies (1914 to 1919). During this time he was also busy in several other directions. In 1916, he was a member of the British delegation at the economic conference of the Allies in June at Paris and in August he accompanied Mr. Runciman to the Anglo-Italian Conference at Pallanza.

Granted the temporary rank of Assistant Secretary to the Board of Trade in 1917, he was British representative on the inter-allied commission to consider the reconstruction of Belgium after the Great War and was also one of the Board of Trade representatiives on the Anglo-Belgian Trade Committee in July, 1917. He resigned from the civil service in 1917.

Many Decorations

Among his decorations and distinctions were:—Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society; Grand Cross of the Order of St. Anna of Russia; Grand Officer of the Crown of Italy; Commander of Leopold of Belgium; Commander of the Legion of Honour; Commander Order of King George I of Greece; Commander of the Sacred Treasure, Japan; Grand Officer of St. Sava, Servia; Grand Officer of the Crown of Rumania; and the Royal Humane Society's medal for saving life from drowning.

In 1901, he married Miss Evadne Maude Kellett, daughter of the late John Talbot Kellett of Great Clonard, County Wexford. They have two daughters. At the time of his death he was a Director of the Suez Canal Co.; Vice-President of the International Sleeping Car Co.; Chairman of Thos. Cook & Son, Ltd.; Director of the Guardian Assurance Co., Ltd.; a director of the Pullman Car Co.; Deputy Chairman of the Metropolitan Railway Surplus Lands Co., Ltd.; director of the British Shareholders Trust, British & Chinese Corporation and of other British and international companies; Vice-President of the Federation of British Industries; and Liveryman of the Goldsmiths' Company.

In memory of the late Sir Edmund, the local offices of Messrs Thomas Cook and Son, Ltd., will be closed this afternoon.

Norwegian Citizen Honoured

Mr. K. Persen Receives Royal Rewards; Work During Hostilities

A most pleasant and agreeable tiffin was held yesterday on the 14th floor of the Park Hotel, at which time Mr. O. Kildal, acting Consul-General for Norway presented Mr. Kristen Persen with a medal and an accompanying certificate.

Mr. Persen is greatly honoured inasmuch as the certificate was signed by His Majesty and carried his personal seal.

This award came to Mr. Persen because of his extremely active work during the hostilities on behalf of the Norwegian people of Shanghai and furthermore because of his efforts in the evacuation of Norwegian refugees during August of last year.

The function was most congenial and nothing could be added to the atmosphere of the occasion. Mr. Kildal in short congratulated the recipient, his remarks bearing on Mr. Persen's activities of that time.

Mr. Persen replied shortly and asked the Consul-General to convey his thanks for the medal and certificate to the Norwegian King.

Germany Drafting Decree Against Jews

New York, Oct. 19.

The Jewish Telegraph Agency's Berlin correspondent, in a copyright article published today, said Germany is drafting a decree virtually forbidding Jews to earn a living in the Reich. The decree, which will be published in January according to the newspaper, will make 500,000 German Jews paupers.

"It is indicated that the only persons who will escape the edict are a few hundred doctors, lawyers and welfare workers, with only enough tradespeople to cater to Jewish needs,' the article declared.—United Press.

Herr Franz von Papen Will Retire

Berlin, Oct. 18.

Herr Franz von Papen, the man who helped Herr Adolf Hitler rise to power and then became the forgotten man of Nazi Germany, has definitely left the Reich Foreign Service, it was learned today. Herr von Papen will devote himself exclusively to private affairs and to his duties as President of the Union club, it was learned.—United Press.

Army of Rickshaw Coolies March

Hankow, Oct. 19.

The strangest cavalcade marched out of Hankow in the small hours of this morning, when 15,000 rickshaw coolies, escorted by troops, strode out of the city on the first stage of their long trek to the interior. Carrying their belongings and their families on their rickshaws, they left in a quiet and orderly manner in total darkness.

The Government is paying to each rickshaw puller the expenses of his evacuation, and is also guaranteeing work and pay later in the interior. Scores of military trucks carrying foodstuffs and medicines accompanied the cavalcade. Four thousand able-bodied citizens were also evacuated in a similar manner.—Reuter.

Tension Rises Still Higher In Palestine

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Arab rebels were strongly entrenched behind the ancient but powerful walls and completely ignored the efforts of the British to dislodge them.

British troops assumed posts on the roofs of tall buildings in the New City which enabled them to obtain a commanding view of the rooftops of the congested areas in the Old City where Arab snipers had set up hideaways and had kept the populace in terror for the past three days.—United Press.

Bitter Fighting

London, Oct. 19.

Bitter fighting in Palestine was predicted today by the "News Chronicle" whose dispatches from Jerusalem said the Royal Air Force reported that between 200 and 400 Arabs were "digging themselves in" for a protracted struggle in the Old City.

The dispatches said British troops in Palestine this morning stormed the old city and wiped out most of the rebels with the exception of those preparing for the siege.

British troops were rushed to the walls of the Old City yesterday as terrorists throughout that section of the city hid on rooftops and sniped at pedestrians. Guns and ammunition were reported delivered to the rebels during the night.—United Press.

Firing Continues

Jerusalem, Oct. 19.

It is officially announced here that an Arab youth was killed, and another Arab youth wounded, in the Old City yesterday.

Firing continued throughout the day, but so far no casualties have been reported among the British forces.

It is believed, however, that there have been other civilian casualties. A Jew was killed while walking between Jaffa and Tel Aviv.—Reuter.

Haifa Now Being Picketed

Haifa, Oct. 19.

British troops at Acre yesterday cordoned off the town, conducted a rigorous search, and interrogated hundreds of persons, following a raid on the Post Office.

As a result of the increased strength of the forces stationed here, troops are now picketing the main roads between Haifa, Nazareth, and a number of other centres.

The General Officer Commanding the British troops in Palestine has been authorized to appoint military commanders in districts in Palestine.

These will be entrusted with measures for security and defence.

New incidents include the killing of two bandits who were trying to puncture the Iraq pipe line in Jordan Valley, and two Jews killed by snipers on the Tel Aviv-Jerusalem road.

The death sentence has been imposed on an Arab for carrying a rifle and ammunition.—Reuter.

Jerusalem, Oct. 19.

British troops entered the old city here this morning, occupying all the streets. Several arrests were carried out by the soldiers on patrol. All access to the section in which a twenty-four hour curfew has been imposed has been barred by barbed wire.—Havas.

Coolness of Pilot Saves Fourteen Lives

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 19.

Mr. Dave Hissong, Eastern Air Lines pilot, saved the lives of 14 passengers today when he landed his burning transport plate on a moonlit field.

He had gained an altitude of 1,400 feet shortly after the take-off when he felt the right motor vibrate. He glanced at the wing and saw the blazing motor drop off. Flames licked the body of the transport, but he calmly raised the left wing and balancing the transport, put it in a long glide. He landed six miles north of the airport.—United Press.

Father Jacquinot in Chungking

Chungking, Oct. 19.

Father Jacquinot, famed originator of the Nantao Refugee Zone, arrived here by air from Hankow today.

His intention, it is understood, is to confer with officials of the Chinese Government regarding the problem of refugees in the Wuhan area.

He is also to investigate refugee work in Chungking. Father Jacquinot intends to return to Hankow within a few days.—Reuter.

OBITUARY

Prince Hiroyoshi

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

Official announcement was made by the Imperial Household Ministry today of the death at 2 a.m., of H.I.H. Prince Hiroyoshi Fushimi, eldest son of Fleet-Admiral Prince Hiroyasu Fushimi, chief of the Naval General Staff.

The late Prince Fushimi held the rank of Commander in the Japanese navy and at the time of his death was commander of the 3rd Destroyer Flotilla.—Domei.

Aftermath of East Coast Hurricane

An aerial view of the devastation caused by the recent hurricane which hit the East coast of America recently. Bridges were carried away and houses flooded to as high as the roofs. As many as 500 people lost their lives and the hurricane was stated to be one of the worst which had visited the coast for many years.

Resistance of Chinese Weak

"Manchester Guardian" on Japanese Underestimation Of Opposition Strength

London, Oct. 19.

It is hard to explain why the Japanese landing at Bias Bay and the Pearl River was entirely unopposed, comments the "Manchester Guardian" today in a leading article.

On the contrary, throughout the war the Japanese have regularly underestimated the strength of the Chinese resistance, the paper goes on to say. It seems likely, it adds, that they have again made the same mistake.

"Japan," the "Manchester Guardian" declares, "is like a python which, having once seized its prey, cannot let go, even though the carcass is too big to swallow."

The Japanese, it is stated, hope that when Hankow and Canton have fallen, there will be an increasing tendency towards an independent command, even towards regional autonomy. There seems little doubt, the journal goes on to say, that the Chinese Government will be forced to abandon some of its central authority, and depend more on guerilla warfare based on the mobilization of the peasant masses, long advocated by the Communists.

War may grow more loose and more obscure, the journal declares, but Japan's difficulties will continue to increase. "But there is yet no comfort to be got from contemplation of the Far East," the paper adds.—Reuter.

Japanese Capture of Sheklung Confirmed

(Continued from page 5)

The "South China Morning Post," meanwhile, disclosed that foreign military observers are of the opinion that the swift Japanese advance may be attributed to their possession of bombers and mechanized units. The Chinese, according to these observers, are armed only with rifles, some machine guns and hand grenades.

The "Morning Post" also reported foreign military experts as saying that the Chinese are forced to wait until the Japanese come close, before engaging them in battle, while the latter are avoiding close fighting as much as possible.

Experts added that the Chinese did not expect the sudden Japanese move and had sent all available tanks and field guns as well as warplanes for the defence of the Wuhan area.—Domei.

Japanese Planes

Hongkong, Oct. 19.

According to reports received here, two Japanese military planes collided and crashed eighteen kilometres south of Shiukwan on the Canton-Hankow railway line. All occupants were killed.—Trans-Ocean.

Tsengcheng Capture Claimed

Japanese forces at 9 a.m. yesterday completely captured Tsengcheng, about 50 km. east of Canton and fifteen kilometres north of Sheklung, a Domei dispatch from Waichow claimed yesterday evening.

The dispatch quoted an official communiqué issued by the spokesman of the party sent to South China by the Army Section of the Imperial General Headquarters in Tokyo.

Assisted by naval air bombardments, a flying detachment which had attained the left bank of the Tseng River after crossing in the face of Chinese fire, made a dash into the city about 8.30 a.m. yesterday morning and was followed closely by other columns.

Hwangshihkang Captured

Japan's military steamroller pressing steadily westward toward Hankow went into high gear yesterday and cut a wide swath through the Yangtze sector as it swept over Hwangshihkang and at least four other towns near the north and south banks of the river, Domei messages from Central China fronts claimed last night.

Japanese naval landing forces completely captured Hwangshihkang, Chinese stronghold approximately five kilometres upstream from Shihhweiyao on the south bank, shortly after 3 p.m. on Wednesday following two hours of bloody fighting, the reports said.

Dashing to shore under cover of a barrage from warships and bombardments from naval aeroplanes, which circled continuously over the Chinese and forced them to take cover, the bluejackets succeeded in making a landing at 2 p.m. on Wednesday afternoon at a point a short distance above Hwangshihkang.

THE CINEMA

"Sing While You're Able"

Whitey	Pinky Tomlin
Joan	Toby Wing
Williams	H. C. Bradley
Adams	Monte Collins
Bennett	Sam Wren
Gloria	Suzanne Kaaren
Blodgett	Bert Roach
Prince	Michael Romanoff
Jimmy Newell	Jimmy Newell
Rita—Jane—Dotty	3 Brian Sisters
Simpson	Lane Chandler
Landlady	Fern Emett

Mr. Pinky Tomlin and Miss Toby Wing appear in the leading roles in "Sing While You're Able" which opened at the Cathay Theatre yesterday, and throughout the film ample opportunity was given for the first-named to illustrate his remarkable musical abilities and for Miss Wing to please the audience with her beauty and her ability to play difficult roles. The film centres round the doings of a countryman, played by Mr. Tomlin, who is discovered by an eccentric toy manufacturer, who believes that he is a radio "find." While en route to the city he meets Miss Wing and, after many, adventures, is used by her to keep away a too persevering Romeo in the shape of Mr. Sam Wren, who finally kidnaps Pinky, during which he has a ducking in the river. Finally, as a result of the ducking, he loses his voice and becomes a tenor instead of a bass singer. In the end "Pinky" appears on the radio and retrieves the falling fortunes of the toy manufacturer, while the villain's vile machinations are thwarted. Preceding the film is a pictorial tour through Hawaii and a similar film extolling the beauties of "Byways in Egypt."—F.L.X.

"Letter of Introduction"

John Mannering	Adolphe Menjou
Kay Martin	Andrea Leeds
Edgar Bergen	Edgar Bergen
Charlie McCarthy	Charlie McCarthy
Barry Paige	George Murphy
Honey	Rita Johnson
Lydia Hoyt	Ann Sheridan
Cora	Eve Arden
Andrews	Ernest Cossart

Mr. Edgar Bergen with his protege Charlie McCarthy, and his new friend Mortimer stole the show yesterday in the "Letter of Introduction," now presented at the Nanking Theatre where practically full house gave an enthusiastic reception to the ventriloquist team, Miss Andrea Leeds played the leading feminine role of Kay Martin, daughter of John Mannering, Mr. Adolphe Menjou, a famous actor who was engaged to be married the fourth time. The plot is simple but at times threatens to become dull, from which it is every time rescued by the timely intervention of Charlie McCarthy and Mortimer which run most of the show their own way. When Charlie starts quarelling with Edgar Bergen, getting jealous of Mortimer or even when he is wrapped up in a newspaper he still keeps the audience roaring with laughter. His friend Mortimer was also a big success and Charlie had every excuse to get jealous for Mortimer's difficulties at pronouncing his own name and coyness at being introduced at a large party, are hard to beat, while his reactions during a palmistry demonstration were literally a "scream." This performance so outshines the rest of the picture that it seemed that the audience were watching only for the ventriloquist duo's appearance to start laughing in advance while the rest of the picture was taken as a kind of space filler. Charlie McCarthy and Mortimer have undoubtedly made a big hit with the audience, and Mr. Edgar Bergen's multifarious abilities are responsible for the success of the show which is well worth seeing.—M.U.

Several Slovak Ministers Leave for Munich

Prague, Oct. 19.

Three Ministers in the new autonomous Slovak Government left for Munich this morning.

The three statesmen were Dr. Joseph Tisso, the Premier, M. Ferdinand Durcansky, the Vice-Premier, and M. Edmund Bacinsky, the Home Minister.

They conferred lengthily last night with Dr. Franz Chvalkovsky, the Czech Foreign Minister, regarding the conversations between Prague and Budapest.—Havas.

Peiping Population Rises

Peiping, Oct. 19.

At the end of September there were 1,569,057 Chinese residents in Peiping, according to figures released by the local authorities.

They consisted of 946,746 men and 622,311 women.

This showed an increase of 5,996 people as compared with the figure at the end of August.—Reuter.

Japanese Progress In Hankow Drive

Warships and Aeroplanes Aiding Troops; Chinese Counter-Attacks

Hankow, Oct. 19.

The Japanese forces pushing westwards towards the railway and highway to the south of Hankow, after occupying Sanhsikou yesterday, captured Yanghsingcheng, to the southwest of Sanhsikou, it is admitted in Chinese military dispatches. Last night, however, it is claimed, the Chinese forces counter-attacked, easing considerably the Japanese threat to the Hankow-Changsha highway.

By land, air and by river the Japanese forces are attacking Huangshihkang, strategic town on the south bank of the Yangtze below Hankow, other Chinese reports state.

After occupying the Shihwaiyao Cement Works, it is stated, the Japanese moved westwards, heading for Huangshihkang. A Japanese cavalry detachment is said to have reached Shengyangkang, between Shighwaiyao and Huangshihkang. Japanese warships and planes are reported to be heavily bombarding Huangshihkang.

The Chinese and Japanese forces on the Peiping-Hankow Railway are said to be opposing one another in the hills to the south of Liuling Station.

Chinese Military Headquarters categorically deny the Japanese report regarding the fall of Tehan.

"The Chinese defence lines at Tehan," they claim, "remain intact."—Reuter.

Fascist Grand Council Holds Long Meeting

Plan for Reforming of Schools Approved

Rome, Oct. 19.

At a meeting of the Fascist Grand Council yesterday, which ended in the small hours this morning, the Council approved a declaration stating that the Fascist Party had accomplished more and more completely its task as a revolutionary instrument for the conscious participation of the people in the life of the State.

The Council approved proposals for reforms in the secondary schools, in accordance with the new cultural, social and economic requirements of the Fascist regime.—Reuter.

Royal Wife of New Italian Envoy

During the next few days the new Italian Ambassador to China, the Marquis Taliano de Marchio and his wife, will pay various courtesy calls on members of the various diplomatic and civil bodies in the city.

The wife of the new Ambassador is her Imperial Royal Highness Margherita of Hapsburg Lorraine, daughter of the late Archduke Leopold Salvator and of H.I.R.H. Blanche of Castille, Infanta of Spain. She is the niece of Don Carlos of Spain.

The Marquise is interested in horses, riding competitions and is also an excellent painter. Many of her works have been exhibited with great success in various international expositions.

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Hongkew Murder Confirmed

S.M.P. Informed of Yu Killing in New Asia Hotel on Monday

The Settlement Police have been officially notified, the "North-China Daily News" was informed last night, that Mr. Yu Ta-hsiung, counsellor of the Ministry of Industries of the new "Reformed Government and former editor of a small Chinese newspaper, was murdered on Monday morning at the New Asia Hotel.

According to reports circulated yesterday the murder was committed by three Chinese youths, whom the deceased had hired a few months ago as assistants for a publicity organ of the new régime.

As reported in the "North-China Daily News," Yu was alleged to have been murdered when three men entered the New Asia Hotel, headquarters of the Yellow Way Society, and walked into his room without meeting any opposition. After committing the deed the men left and Yu was found badly injured, presumably by blows from hatchets. His nose had been cut off and his fingers badly mutilated.

Until yesterday the Settlement authorities officially knew nothing of the crime as the Japanese and "Ta Tao" officials had made no report dealing with the assassination. So far the body has not been recovered, but relatives of the dead man were understood to have started preparations for the funeral at his home in the Settlement. It was reported that a coffin had been brought to the house for this purpose.

Portuguese Man Macao

Hongkong, Oct. 19.

Two thousand Mozambique troops in full war kit were massed on the Macao border today after Chinese troops had failed in an attempt to cross the border Sunday night, Macao reports said.

The Chinese troops, apparently seeking safety or consisting of deserters, rushed the border, firing wildly. They wounded one Portuguese officer in charge of a border patrol.

Portuguese South African soldiers then fired two volleys and killed eighteen Chinese soldiers, halting the mad scramble into Portuguese territory.

Mozambique reinforcements were immediately rushed to the border and strong defences consisting of barbed wire and machine-gun nests were set up to prevent any repetition of attempts to cross into Portuguese territory, the reports from Macao said.—United Press.

Position of Hongkong

London, Oct. 18.

The position of Hongkong following the commencement of Japanese military operations in South China, formed the subject of a long conversation this afternoon between Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, and M. Suemasa Okamoto, Counsellor of the Japanese Embassy.—Havas.

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Count Lubienski Goes To Budapest

Hungarian Polish Talks Considered Important

Budapest, Oct. 19.

Count John Lubienski, Cabinet Chief of the Polish Foreign Office and one of the closest collaborators of Col. Joseph Beck, Foreign Minister, arrived here by plane today.

The visit was officially described as reciprocating Count Chaky's recent visit to Warsaw, but Hungarian political quarters ascribe the greatest importance to Count Lubienski's journey.

Commentators emphasize that Poland and Hungary's dream of a common frontier at the expense of Czechoslovakia would not be used as a barrier against the expansion of influence of third states. These assurances mainly concern Germany, which thus far has given a cold shoulder to the common frontier plan for Hungary and Poland, on the supposition that such a frontier would be used to the Third Reich's disadvantage.

Parleys Followed Closely

Col. Beck's negotiations with Germany, Rumania and Czechoslovakia are being followed here with the closest interest. Hope has been expressed by some official observers that Rumania would support the Hungarian-Polish scheme for economic reasons.

On the other hand, foreign reports that Col. Beck has offered Rumania a Hungarian guarantee of Rumania's frontiers in return for Bucharest's support of the common frontier are emphatically denied in well-informed quarters. It is declared that such a guarantee is out of the question as far as Budapest is concerned. Hungary definitely wants a common border with Poland in order to form a buffer between Russia and Germany, but not at the expense of commitments to Bucharest, it was pointed out.—United Press.

New Russo-Japanese Border Incident

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

A new incident on the frontier between Soviet Russia and Manchoukuo is reported by a Japanese semi-official news agency to have occurred in the neighbourhood of Hsialinshan.

According to this news agency Soviet Russian soldiers occupied a small island in the Amur river. Representations are said to have been made already by the Manchoukuo authorities to the Soviet consulate at Harbin.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. Orders Munitions From Private Firms

Washington, Oct. 19.

The War Department has ordered an additional $9,000,000 worth of munitions from private manufacturers. These include bombs varying between 100 and 200 pounds in weight.—Reuter.

Fighting on The Yangtze Front

Hankow, Oct. 19.

On the northern Yangtze strong Japanese forces estimated at about 5,000 men are endeavouring to compel the left wing of the Chinese army to retire from Changtaidwang, 20 km. north of Sinyang. The Chinese however thus far repelled the Japanese attacks and succeeded in maintaing their positions, it is declared.

Fresh Japanese troops are said to have been thrown into action at Jotschi to relieve the remnants of the sixth Japanese division which has suffered extremely heavy losses through a recent surprise attack of the Chinese, it is stated.

Heavy fighting is also in progress at the Fu River where three Japanese columns are advancing in a westerly direction on the Hankow-Canton Railway.—Trans-Ocean.

Magnate Aids Defense Fund

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

Mr. Kamasaburo Yamashita, president of the Yamashita Steamship Company, donated Y.500,000 to the Ministries of War and Navy for the national defence fund. Each received Y.250,000.

IT WAS AGONY TO STOOP

Backache Made Him Feel An Old Man at 31

This man of 31 was prematurely aged by kidney trouble, when he should have been enjoying the best years of his life. Here he tells how Kruschen gave him back his health, after months of pain:—

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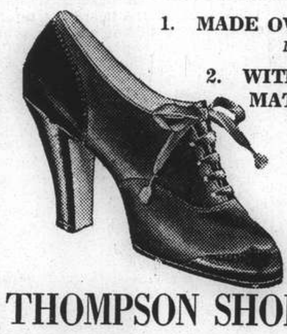
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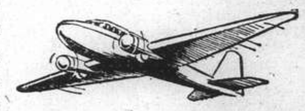
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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE "Cradle" raffle for one baby shawl was won by ticket 197.

POOTUNG Spit Buoy was placed in point yesterday afternoon by the Customs Light Tug.

THERE will be a celebration of the Holy Communion in the Bubbling Well Chapel this morning at 10.30 o'clock.

IT is understood that the Armistice Day ceremonies at the Cenotaph will this year be held on the same lines as in previous years.

MRS. Charlotte Haldane, wife of the noted British don, arrived in Chengtu from Chungking on October 17, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao."

THE third talk by Mrs. Donald Roberts, of St. John's University, on "World Current Events" will be given today at the Y.W.C.A., 999 Bubbing Well Road, at 11 a.m.

MR. Chang Kia-ngau, Minister of Communications, flew back to Chungking from Kunming, Yunnan, on October 17, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao."

MRS. Ruth Green of the Yale Medical Mission in China will speak over station XMHD today at 8.30 p.m. Subject: God in control of the affective nature. Tune in on 760 kilocycles or 395 meters.

UNION CHURCH Women's Guild will hold their fortnightly meeting in the Church lecture-hall this afternoon at 3.30, when Mrs. L. A. Hekking will speak on "Some forms of amusement for young children."

MR. David Grenfell, M.P., on behalf of the Parliamentary Labour Party, visited the Foreign Office on Tuesday afternoon in connection with the question of refugees in Czechoslovakia. Mr. Grenfell left for Prague yesterday.

THE governing body of the League of Nations International Labour organization, whose 85th session opens in London on October 25, meets here for the first time since 1920. The Minister of Labour, Mr. Ernest Brown, will attend the opening session.

MR. C. J. Chancellor has been erroneously reported as having returned to Shanghai on Tuesday by the ss. Biancamano. He did in fact leave Manila in that vessel, but stayed over in Hongkong. He is not expected back in Shanghai until the end of the month.

NEWS has just been received of the death on October 2 of Mrs. Garwood, of Upper Sheringham, Norfolk, widow of the late Mr. Walter H. Garwood of Shanghai. Her many friends in Shanghai will regret her passing and deep sympathy will be extended to her three daughters.

GENERAL Chiang Kai-shek, says a report from Chungking to the "Morning Leader," has, through the Overseas Chinese Affairs Commission, issued an appeal to overseas Chinese throughout the world to redouble their efforts in contributing financial and material support to the National Government.

CONTRASTING Mr. Winston Churchill's recent speech with the German attack upon him, Mr. Bernard Baruch, Chairman of the War Industries Board during the World War, says, in the "New York Herald Tribune," that "Nazi propaganda matters are showing themselves as recklessly stupid as Mr. Churchill is skilfully brilliant."

MR. J. H. Leche, the British Chargé d'Affaires at Barcelona, has been appointed Minister to Guatemala. He is being succeeded at Barcelona by Mr. R. C. Skrine Stevenson, who is leaving London today to take up his new appointment. Mr. Stevenson has, for some time, been adviser on League of Nations affairs at the Foreign Office.

THE King and Queen on Tuesday afternoon visited the Hospital for Sick Children, in Great Ormond Street. Although the visit was private a crowd waited outside the entrance and cheered their Majesties' arrival. The King and Queen were received by the Princess Royal, President of the Hospital, who trained and worked there as a nurse.

THE engagement of Princess Lili Kawanaokoa, of the former Hawaiian Royal family, to Mr. Clark Lee, American correspondent of the Associated Press, has been announced in Honolulu, says a dispatch to the "Asahi." Mr. Lee is now in China with a party of Tokyo foreigners on a tour of the Yangtze Valley. The Princess will sail for Japan late this month, it is understood.

AN important financial conference has been summoned by the Ministry of Finance to be held in Hongkong sometime towards the end of October, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao." Hongkong and Shanghai Chinese banking circles, the report states, have been requested to send their representatives to participate at the coming conference, at which important measures will be decided upon in connexion with China's war finance.

SEVERAL representatives of the League of Nations China Association are being sent to call upon the competent authorities of Near East countries to explain to them the Sino-Japanese hostilities, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao." The representatives have arrived at Hongkong, ready to sail, the report states, and will call at India, Persia, Afghanistan, Iran, Iraq, Arabia, Turkey and Egypt. The representatives have been armed with personal letters from Dr. Chu Chia-hua, Chairman of the League of Nations Association in China, the report adds.

MR. Aw Boon Haw, the multi-millionaire is organizing a company, to be known as the Overseas Industrial Corporation, for the exploitation of the resources of the South-west provinces in collaboration with the Chinese Government, says a report to the "Hwa Mei Wan Pao." The company will be capitalized at $50,000,000, the report states, and Mr. Aw has sent Mr. Hu Chao-hsiang, an overseas Chinese delegate to the People's Political Council, and Mr. Tsai Hsien-chang, Chinese Consul in Rangoon, to conduct investigations in Yunnan province.

"Three Screams in The Night"

Evidence of Watchmen in Murder Enquiry; Witness And "Something" in Sack

"He was carrying something heavy in a sack over his shoulder," said Kartar Singh in H.M. Police Court yesterday, giving evidence before Mr. I. T. Morris in the case involving Dalip Singh, arrested by the S.M.P. after the discovery of his wife's murdered body in Hungjao. Dalip Singh reserved his examination of witnesses yesterday and the case was finally adjourned to 10 a.m. on Monday next, when Dalip Singh expects to be represented by counsel.

Mr. P. Watkyn Williams appeared for the prosecution and after Detective Sub-Inspector C. A. Mason, of the S.M.P. Fingerprints Bureau, and a Chinese assistant had given evidence as to the taking of various photographs around the scene of the alleged crime, Russian Watchman No. 67, employed by the S.M.C. Sanatorium, 45 Macleod Road, was put into the witness box.

He knew the accused, Dalip Singh, and his late wife, he said; Dalip Singh was a watchman employed at the Shanghai Telephone Co.'s sub-office at 297 Hungjao Road, next door to the Sanatorium. He saw them daily up to September 23; they did not speak to each other, but occasionally the wife spoke to the Russian watchman in English and Chinese and seemed "quite cheerful always."

At about 10 p.m. on September 23 he was seated on the Sanatorium verandah, with a Chinese not far away from him. They heard three screams, screams which "sounded as if a woman was being assaulted." The screams seemed to come from the general direction of Hungjao Road, between the telephone company premises and a Chinese house. Witness left the verandah and walked to the end of the Sanatorium court-yard but did not discover anything or make any further investigations.

"I Was Unarmed"

Why?—I was unarmed.

Do many people walk about Hungjao after dark?—No.

Would you be prepared to walk about Hungjao at 10 o'clock in the evening?—No.

Witness said that he came to the conclusion that an act of violence or an armed robbery was taking place. He saw Dalip Singh several times after that date, but never saw Dalip Singh's wife again. After hearing about the discovery of the woman, he went to see Dalip Singh.

What conversation took place?—I asked him if the body discovered in the sack was that of his wife and he said "yes."

How did the conversation continue?—He told me how he had discovered the body, reported it to the police and how he had been questioned by the police.

"Must Have Been Bandits"

Did he express any opinion as to how his wife came to her death?—Yes. He said it must have been bandits, robbers.

King Ling-seng, Chinese electrician at the Sanatorium now employed as a watchman, said that he was sitting on the verandah, not far from the previous witness, and heard the three screams, two of them loud, one subdued. He gave a graphic description of the screams in court at the request of Mr. Watkyn Williams.

At the time, he thought that the Chinese house, some 75 yards away, had been robbed, but when he passed the house at 6 a.m. the next day, he found it "in good order" and with the three occupants, a man and his wife and their daughter, busy about their usual tasks.

Kartar Singh, watchman at the Duff residence, 555 Hungjao Road, told the Court that he spent the night of September 23 in town and was cycling past the telephone company's Hungjao Road premises on his way back to duty about 5 a.m. the next day.

"Her Bedding"

"I saw Dalip Singh come out of the premises," he went on "I greeted him but he didn't give any answer. He was carrying something heavy in a sack over his shoulder. It was like rolled bedding and seemed to be very heavy and was bound with cord. I asked him what was in the sack; he said that his wife was not allowed to stay on the premises and so he was taking her bedding away. He said he was taking the bedding to the Blind School."

Did he reply at once to your questions or not?—At first he did not give me an answer but he afterwards spoke to me in a quiet voice. This was just as I was passing him.

Mr. Morris then adjourned the case to Monday, advising Dalip Singh to get in touch with a lawyer in the meantime.

Catholics to Establish Russian School Here

Father Wilcock Instructed By Pope to Found College

The "Catholic Review" of Shanghai reports from London that the Rev. Father F. J. Wilcock, S.J., of the Oriental Rite, has been authorized by Pope Pius XI to found a Russian college in Shanghai and will leave England for China in December.

Father Wilcock resides at the Russian College in Namur, Belgium, but left there for England last month to start a series of conferences on Russia and the Eastern rites. When he has finished the conferences, in December, he will sail for Shanghai, it is understood.

At a recent meeting at Stamford Hill, Father Wilcock spoke of the Holy Father's plans for Russia.

"The Pope," he said, "is doing for Russia today exactly what previous popes did for England during the days of persecution. Three hundred years ago seminaries and schools for English boys were opened on the continent. For example, at Rome, Valladolid, Douai and St. Omer. From these centres there came forth a stream of martyrs who kept alive the ancient faith."

Former Austrian Judge Hangs Self

Vienna, Oct. 18.

Dr. Johann Langer, former Austrian judge, hanged himself today in his cell at Salzburg prison where he was awaiting his trial for delivering seventeen "blood verdicts" of death against Nazis before the anschluss.—United Press.

Cambridge Union Votes Censure Motion

London, Oct. 19.

By a vote of 471 to 282, the Cambridge Union adopted a motion censuring the foreign policy of His Majesty's Government. The motion was adopted after a discussion lasting three and a half hours.—Havas.

Union Church Tuesday Evening Club

Successful Opening of Autumn Session

Union Church Tuesday Evening Club made a successful start for the autumn session with an attendance of 35 men at its meeting on Tuesday evening, when an informal but very interesting talk was given by Mr. James Macbeth on some outstanding events and leaders in the political history of England a century ago, and the effect of those events upon the national life of the present time.

Following the supper, at which Mr. F. H. B. Harmon, president of the Club, presided, election took place to fill four vacancies on the Committee caused by the retirement after two years' service of Messrs. W. M. McLennan, H. B. Duff, J. McFarlane, and the Rev. W. H. Hudspeth. Those nominated and duly elected were Dr. Couper Patrick, Messrs. A. E. Dearn, R. L. Stewart, and A. Y. Tait, other members who continue in office being Messrs. F. H. B. Harmon, O. G. R. Beynon, and G. S. Connor.

Mr. Macbeth's Address

Mr. Macbeth at the outset remarked that recent observance of several centenaries in England was responsible for the theme he had chosen for his talk. Looking back over the history of the thirties of last century he thought they could discover something both interesting and instructive, and find therein the birth of movements which had tremendously affected the national life of the present day. The period under review was a time of change and transition. Interesting movements were being started, and new figures were appearing upon the political stage who were destined to play an important part in directing the destinies of the British Empire. The speaker referred at some length to the political conditions and to the corruption which existed, parliamentary representation being in the hands of the wealthy landowners who, controlling the "pocket boroughs", decided who the representatives were to be. The Chartist movement played an important part in moulding public opinion in favour of much-needed reform, and here the speaker noted that of the six points of the Chartist programme—namely, annual parliaments, universal suffrage, vote by ballot, abolition of property qualification for membership of the House of Commons, payment of members, and equal electoral districts—all except the holding of annual elections had been placed on the statute-book. The repeal of the Corn Laws and the passing of the Reform Bill were referred to at some length, and led the speaker to deal in a very interesting manner with the part played in the political life of the nation by two men who were at this time beginning public life—William Ewart Gladstone and Benjamin Disraeli—men who for half a century contributed much in shaping the destinies of the British Empire.

Giants of Yester Year

Among men mentioned as playing a notable part in the literary life of the nation during the period under review were Walter Scott, Charles Dickens, Macaulay, Sydney Smith, Alfred Tennyson, and Thomas Carlyle.

"If," concluded the speaker, "we look back on the men prominent in the public life of England a hundred years ago"—and he admitted he had only time to refer to a comparative few—"we must admit there were giants in those days. But have the days of giants passed? I think not. Probably the historian of a hundred years hence, reviewing the history of this century, will have to confess that there were giants in our own age, for I refuse to believe that a nation which has played such an important part in world history is still unable to make a worthy contribution to the history now in the making."

New Jardine Coaster Arrives Tomorrow

Taisang Due on Maiden Voyage from Hongkong

The ss. Taisang, sister-ship of the ss. Wingsang and the latest addition to the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company's China Coastal fleet, is expected early tomorrow morning at the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf, arriving on her maiden voyage to China ports. Launched on July 16 at the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited, by Mrs. Dicken, wife of Commodore E. B. C. Dicken, the new coaster has just been put on the company's coastal service.

She is 310 ft. long, 48 ft. broad and 27 ft. deep, with gross tonnage of about 3,000. Built according to Lloyd's highest class specifications, in conformity with the latest requirements of the Hongkong Government Marine Surveyor and the Simla Rules, she embodies many latest developments in shipbuilding, among which are, thermotank ventilation system, patent davits of the overframe type carrying the lifeboats and electric anchor windlass.

Her sister-ship, the ss. Wingsang, has joined the company's coastal fleet some time ago and is considered a big success being one of few coasters designed and built expressly for China coast trade.

Shops in Thorne Road Swept by Fire

Three unoccupied Chinese shops at 206-210 Thorne Road were swept by fire yesterday morning. An alarm was sent to the Hongkew Fire Station at 9.47 o'clock and the firemen spent three-quarters of an hour at the scene. The origin of the flames was not determined.

Life Sentence For Wexler Killer

Prisoner Hears Fate Unmoved; No Appeal Asked for Yesterday

Sentence of imprisonment for life was passed by Judge Wong in the First Special District Court yesterday on Yu Yih-yuen for the murder of Miss Margaret Wexler, 22 year-old Russian girl on September 30. The cook-boy, who was formerly employed by Capt. H. M. Smyth, Deputy Commissioner of the Shanghai Municipal Police, in whose apartment in Broadway Mansions the murder was committed, heard the sentence without any show of emotion and did not file notice of appeal, although it is expected that he will take this step later.

Yu will serve his sentence in the Ward Road Gaol, and he will also be deprived of his civil rights for life. A native of Tinghai in Chekiang, Yu, slightly built and effeminate, admitted killing Miss Wexler when he was arrested by the police in an alleway off Yenping Road where he had stayed for six days.

Details of the case were given by Mr. T. Y. Chang, Municipal Advocate, at previous hearings, when it was attempted to prove that the murder was premeditated, the boy having had a grievance against Miss Wexler, who, it was stated, continually scolded him for his slackness.

Bad Eggs

At the previous hearing it was stated that on the day of the murder Miss Wexler had remonstrated with Yu for buying eggs which were bad and a fight ensued. Yu himself admitted that he killed Miss Wexler after this because he was afraid that she would tell Capt. Smyth, by whom he had been employed since July last year.

According to the prosecution events leading up to the murder started at about 8 a.m. when Yu served Miss Wexler her breakfast as he usually did each day. It was alleged that the Russian girl scolded him because the eggs he had brought were bad. Capt. Smyth left for his office, it was stated, and following the visit of a friend of Miss Wexler, a Russian woman named Dukoff, the boy was again reprimanded by the girl for not having dusted the room properly.

It was stated that she followed the boy to the kitchen and picked up an egg which, she alleged, was bad and Yu snatched it out of her grasp when she allegedly struck him. She then telephoned to her Russian friend after telling the boy that she would inform Capt. Smyth of the incident.

Overpowered

At about 12.30 p.m. the girl noticed that her nose was bleeding, this apparently having been caused by a blow from a knife wielded by the boy. She again attacked him, it was stated, and they fought on the floor of the apartment. Miss Wexler was overpowered by the boy and she ceased to struggle, following which the boy went to the kitchen brought out a full bottle of beer and struck Miss Wexler several times on the head with it. He then tied a piece of canvas string around her neck and covered her body with a towel and blanket. Before leaving the apartment he ransacked the drawers and took $4 and some cents and a wrist watch belonging to the girl.

For six days he hid himself in Yenping Road and pawned the watch. He was arrested there on October 6 by C.D.C. 77.

The verdict at the inquest on Miss Wexler was that she had been killed by a blow from a blunt instrument and by suffocation.

It is believed that Miss Wexler will be reburied in the Jewish cemetery following the arrival of her mother from Harbin.

World's Fourth Largest Diamond Found

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 19.

What is claimed to be the world's fourth largest diamond has been found in Minas Geraes, and has been named the "President Vargas." The stone is understood to have been sold for £80,000 to a Netherlands firm. It will be sent to Amsterdam for cutting, after which it may be offered for sale in Great Britain.—Reuter.

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Mrs. Lilian Maria da Costa

In the presence of relatives and a large attendance of mourners, the remains of the late Mrs. Lilian (Lily) Maria da Costa were laid to rest yesterday afternoon at the Bubbling Well Cemetery.

Preceding the interment a Requiem Mass was celebrated at St. Pierre's Church on Avenue Dubail by Father Paul Beauce, S.J., who also carried out the last rites at the graveside. Born at Shanghai on March 10, 1905, the deceased, known to all as Lily, spent her entire life in this city and was loved by everyone with whom she came in contact. After an extended illness she passed away early on Monday morning at the Paulun Hospital at the age of 33.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. Prospero Augusto da Costa, parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. da Costa, and sister, Mrs. F. A. Barradas, all of whom were present at the funeral services. Mr. A. S. Braga was present representing the Portuguese Consulate-General. Maj. M. F. R. Leitao, of the Portuguese Co. S.V.C., with his officers were in attendance, Mr. Costa being a Captain of that company and temporary adjutant to "B" Battalion.

The pallbearers were Messrs. A. M. Souza, Major M. F. R. Leitao, B. V. de Senna, J.M.J. da Silva, F. Noodt and A. dos S. Carneiro. A beautiful heart of flowers from "Prospero" was lowered on the casket into the grave. Among others sending flowers were:—

Dad and Ma; Connie and Anty; Mercia and Ola; "Yekoo"; Rachel and Amalia; Beny, Marie, Bootie and Bunny; Berth, Freddie, Sonny and Kenneth; Marita and Victor; Pertridge, Black, Maclaren and Lyddall; Bambin, Nunui and Family; "Aki"; Ange and Simon; Mercia, Apen and Girlie; Hilda, Marie and Mose; Francis and Martie; Marie and Norbert; Bella and Simon; Gerry and Bernie; Doro and Bertha; Johnnie and Stella; Domingas, Norman and Abie; John and Family; Joe, Hebby, Elsie, Willie and Maria; Fanh, Jozico, Nuno and Elsa; Milly and Albert; Marianna, Albert and Raul; Inward Bills Dept, Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.; O.C., Officers, N.C.O.'s and men of Portuguese Co., S.V.C.; Maj. G. M. Neal and H.Q. "B" Bn. S.V.C.; International Navigation Co.; Antonio Alves, Consul-General for Portugal; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Almeida and family; J. C. de Britto; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barradas and family; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Barradas; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Britto and family; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Carlos; P. A. Meira da Costa; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. da Costa and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. da Costa; Alda Carr; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Collaco; Maria Ottilia Remedios e Collaco and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. de Campos and Family; E. M. Meira da Costa; Mr. and Mrs. M. P. de Campos; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Collaco; Alberto dos Santos Carneiro; F. O. Collaco; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. F. Gutierrez; Mr. A. F. Judd; Manuel F. Reao Peitao and Judith M. de C. Leitao; A. Noodt; Mrs. Camille O'Leary, Yvonne and Sonny; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. M. Ozorio; Flo Remedios; Mrs F. Rozario and Lucy; Etelvina Corte-Real and Camille Corte-Real; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. da Silva and family; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Victal; Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Xavier; Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Xavier; Mr. and Mrs. Yang and family; and others.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

Shanghai-Japan Radiophone

Central China Telecommunication Company Restores Service After War

Radiophone communication service between Shanghai and Tokyo will be resumed today at 8 a.m., after fifteen months of interruption. Local receiving and sending stations of the service situated at the Lincheng Road in Yangtzepoo and the Kwenming Road, were formerly operated by the Chinese Government. The service was disrupted in July last year, shortly before the outbreak of the conflict and remained inactive until the newly formed Central China Telecommunication Company took over the station.

The Central China Telecommunication Co. was formed on August 1 and is presided by Mr. T. Fukuda, former Secretary for Political Affairs to Admiral Okada, Prime Minister of Japan in 1936. At present the company controls the radio communications in Nanking, Soochow, Hangchow and the Shanghai-Japan radiophone, other than this it is in charge of the telephone communications in Chapei, Civic Centre, Soochow, Nanking and Hangchow.

Ministers Converse

At 3 p.m. yesterday, Mr. T. Ono, Japanese Vice-Minister of Communications sent the first radiophone message from Tokyo to Shanghai congratulating Mr. Kiang Shao-chieh, Minister of Communications of the "Reformed Government" of China, with the resumption of the service. Mr. Kiang then replied to Mr. Ono, sending the first radiomessage from Shanghai to Tokyo.

The service will be officially opened for public from 8 a.m. today and will remain open daily from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. At present it is temporarily carried on with emergency equipment which was brought from Japan to replace the apparatus during the hostilities. The company however are constructing permanent receiving and transmitting stations which will soon be completed.

At present any subscriber to the Shanghai Telephone Company or the Chapei Telephone Co. may talk with any subscriber to the Japanese telephone system, in any part of Japan, direct from his residence. The Foreign Settlement or Concession subscriber has only to dial 03 and ask for the Japanese subscriber giving his name town he resides in and telephone number. The message will be relayed to the Chapei Telephone Co. and flashed to Tokyo through the radiophone station in Lingching Rd. The Tokyo radiophone station will then call up the desired subscriber through the telephone system of Japan and he will be able to converse with his Japanese friend on his private phone.

Reception Given

The mark the resumption of the service the company were hosts yesterday to several hundred guests at the Japanese Club. Among those present were seen numerous Japanese and the "Reformed Government" high officials, representatives of foreign communication firms, director of the Post Office, representatives of the press and many others who were met by the hosts and enjoyed a very pleasant party.

Czechs Demobilize to Complete Harvest

Prague, Oct. 18.

The Ministry of Agriculture reported today that the demobilization of the Czech reservists was proceeding rapidly to enable the completion of the delayed harvest. One third of the men mobilized have already returned to civil life, the authorities estimated. United Press.

Air France Reports Denied

Kunming, Oct. 19.

Reliable French sources deny reports that Air France has been forbidden by the Japanese authorities to carry Chinese passengers, or that, at the least, passengers must land at a Japanese airfield for inspection.—Reuter.

Danzig Issue May Be Solved in Novel Way

Overhead Railway and Road Will Link Reich to Prussia

Warsaw, Oct. 18.

It was persistently rumoured here today that Polish-German negotiations on the Danzig problem are imminent.

Opinions prevalent are that both parties will decide upon the establishment of an elevated railway and a new road to link Germany proper with East Prussia through the Polish corridor.

The railway and road would be fifty metres wide and would be considered as German territory. All Polish railways and roads leading to Gdynia would pass under the railway line.

The German railway and road would cross the narrowest part of the corridor, thereby providing a link with Danzig, it is declared here.

It is particularly noted that Herr Albert Forester, Nazi Gauleiter (district leader) of Danzig, is at present staying in Berlin.—Havas.

Polish-Manchoukuo Amity Treaty

Tokyo, Oct. 18.

A treaty of amity between Poland and Manchukuo will be signed in Tokyo tomorrow, Wednesday, by the Ambassadors of both countries. The treaty provides for the setting up of formal diplomatic relations and the exchange of consular representatives.—Trans-Ocean.

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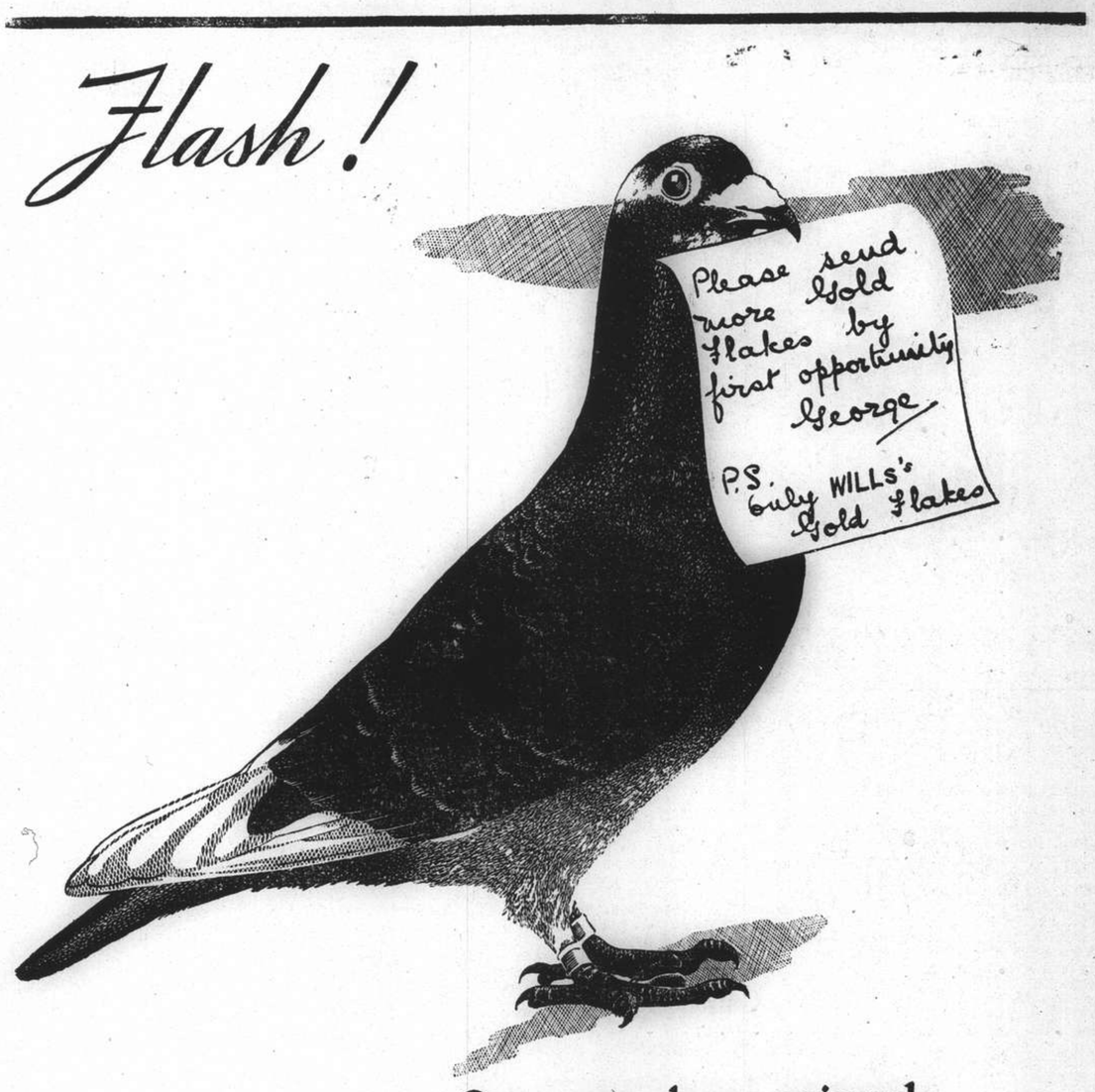

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Rugby Season Beginning

Play Starts on Saturday at Race Course with Practice Matches; Bright Prospects

WITH the Race Course opening this week-end for all forms of winter sports, the local rugger season will be officially launched on Saturday afternoon on what is confidently expected to prove a most successful season. Both pitches will be utilized for a general practice commencing at 3 p.m. sharp when all playing members of the Rugby Club are urged to turn out.

Those intending to play are reminded that in the event of no rain falling between now and Saturday, gym shoes as well as boots should be brought along, as the prevailing concrete-like grounds may possibly result in sprains and injured muscles being suffered should too violent play be indulged in so early in the season.

Arrangements have yet to be made definitely but it is understood that a series of twenty-minute halves will be played in order to give all attending a chance to display their wares. "Touch" rugger may also be the order of the day, but whatever happens, spectators are assured of seeing some well worth while play, even if there are plenty of "bellows to mend" long before no-side sounds.

No games are scheduled for Sunday but it is believed that a large number of players will be seen out loosening up their limbs and generally repairing the ravages that the summer lay-off has had on their speed and wind.

Season's Bright Prospects

The Tuesday and Thursday tiffin-time practices which in past years have been such a popular feature at the Club and which have contributed in no small way in enabling members to reach the peak of physical fitness, will begin on October 25. A full programme is now in the course of arrangement for the following week-end.

The prospects of the Shanghai Rugby Union Football Club appear extremely bright, for with practically all of last year's 1st XV available together with two or three newcomers who have played in first-class sides at home, the standard of play should be necessarily high. Only MacRae is missing from the forward line, he having been transferred to Tsingtao whence it is not believed he will return prior to the end of the season.

Replacing this hard worker is R. A. Reynolds who for some winters has been a regular member of the pack of Sale, the powerful North of England fifteen. He comes here with a fine reputation of being perfectly at home in either the first or second row, and experienced in all the latest tactics of the game as exploited in England, is more than likely to prove of asset to the Shanghai side during the coming months.

Hongkong Interporter Here

In addition to Reynolds the Club is able to call upon the services of T. H. Bradford, the well-known Hongkong interporter, who is admittedly one of the finest second row forwards seen in the game in the Far East for several years.

Unfortunately, however, it is learned that he has been recently suffering from knee trouble, but whether his injury will have healed to allow him to resume his robust style of play in the near future is unknown. It is hoped, though, that he will soon be fit, for with men of the calibre of Reynolds and Bradford in the middle row, Shanghai's forwards should be able to give of their very best.

Bolstering up the attacking strength of the threes is R. H. Roe, who was able to participate in but few matches last winter. His ability to open up the game and exploit to the full the slightest mistakes of his opponents is too well known to rugby followers to need any comment here.

Marines to Play

A number of other youngsters, all with useful experience, are expected to don the Club colours this season and although promising reports have been heard of their abilities, it is perhaps wiser to wait and see how they perform before commenting on their possibilities.

The Fourth United States Marines, who in the past have always been a thorn in the side of local aggregations, are confidently expected to provide strong opposition this season, but until the American Football Game on Thanksgiving Day has been concluded, no rugger training will be undertaken by the leathernecks. The evergreen Billy Tingle will take the Marines in hand once again, and with him at the helm, the American side will most certainly be a difficult squad to overcome, their enthusiasm, physical fitness and speed all being byewords in local rugby circles.

British Army Side

Of the British Army Units stationed in Shanghai at present little is known, but it will come as no surprise to observe the Seaforths entering a side for this year's competitions. It would indeed be rather a pity, after the brilliant run of successes of the Durhams, Loyals, East Lancashires and Royal Welch, to see no representative Army side take the field. The Area Details, of course, can always be relied upon to field a fifteen, and although many of their players have seen younger days, they can invariably hold their own with more than average success.

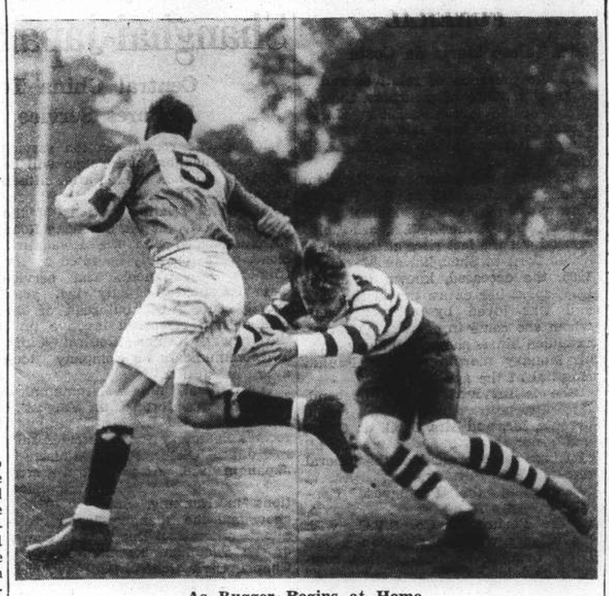
After a lapse of one winter, the Police are in the happy position of being able to place a side in the field again, and with new blood from home, including players who have participated in good class rugger in England, Wales and South Africa, may well be able to provide some startling upsets before the season is very far advanced. E. J. Woods, G. H. Reynolds, both hefty forwards who have played for the Glamorgan and Metropolitan Police teams respectively, and J. D. Killingbeck, a full-back from Bloemfontein, are said to be the pick of the newcomers on whom the Police are pinning their faith. Several others, some novices, it is true, have been practising diligently for the past few weeks, and when the whistle goes for them to play their first match, the opposition should be provided with a thoroughly strenuous time.

Tung Wen's Two Teams

Two teams will be fielded by Tung Wen College during the coming months and although no details are available as to the strength of these sides, there is little doubt, if past performances be any standard, that considerably strong opposition will be received from the Japanese.

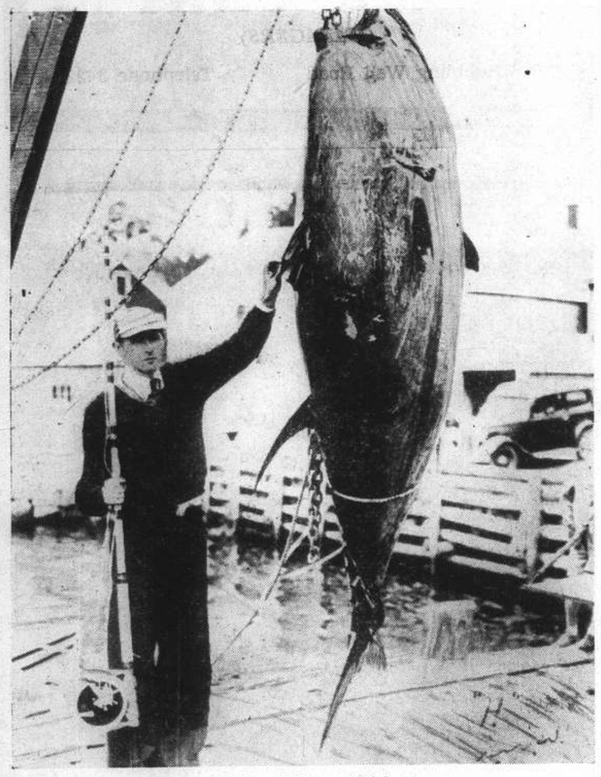
A French Forces fifteen is also likely to be included in local competition, it being the intention of local French enthusiasts to form a side consisting of members drawn from the French Police, Army and Navy stationed in Shanghai.

With the above mentioned sides clashing throughout the coming winter, there would appear, from a spectator's viewpoint, to be plenty of good games in store for the enthusiast, and taken by and large, if the standard of play reaches that high level that it threatens to at present, Shanghai is going to have a "bumper" 1938-9 season.



As Rugger Begins at Home

Action in the rugger match between Rosslyn Park and the Harlequins recently at Richmond.



Tuna Fish on High

This 864-lb. fish was caught on rod and reel at Shelburne after a long battle with his captor shown beside the blueskin tuna, a world record breaker.

TRAINING GALLOPS

EARLY yesterday morning, before a large gathering at the rails, racing ponies went through their training gallops in preparation for forthcoming meetings and many of the performances gave definite prospects with regard to Saturday's probable winners. All the gallops were done on the inside track of the Shanghai Race Course.

(GRIFFINS)

Pony & Rider	¼m.	½m.	¾m.	1m.	1¼m.	1½m.	Last ¼
Hook McGlook, V. L. Xavier	39.3	1.16	1.49.3	2.22			32.2
Little Joe, H. Maitland	42	1.20	1.54	2.27			33
Libertylight, Boy	35	1.08	1.40	2.13			33
Raibals, G. P. Gram	39	1.16	1.50	2.23			33
Cavalier, A. Noodt	38	1.14	1.47	2.21			34
Night Raider, F. Noodt	38	1.14	1.47	2.21			34
Rhein-fels, Boy	41	1.18	1.54	2.28.4	3.01		32.1
Sumatra, F. Marshall	38	1.17	1.52	2.25	2.58		33
Loch Mohor, ?	34	1.07.1	1.40				32.4
Brave Raider, S. Y. Sung	41	1.16	1.50	2.22			32
Rye, A. F. Clark	32	1.04	1.37				33
Antonio, A. Noodt	34.3	1.07	1.38.3				31.3
Man O'Zeal, Boy	40	1.15.3	1.48	2.24			36
Newcastle, A. F. Clark	33.3	1.06	1.37				31
Bagshot, Boy	32	1.04	1.38				34
The Midget, G. P. Gram	38	1.14	1.47	2.21			34
Cherrylight, Boy	37	1.11	1.43	2.14.3			31.3
Man O'Zest, J. Pote-Hunt	38	1.12	1.45	2.19			34
Crispylight, Boy	40	1.19	1.53	2.25			32
Stonylight, Boy	37	1.11	1.43.3	2.17			33.2
Flyinglight, C. B. Moller	37	1.11	1.43.3	2.17			33.2
Cordon Bleu, Mrs. Liddell	34.3	1.08.3	1.41	2.14			33
Merrylight, Boy	43	1.19	1.54	2.26			32
Port Bradda, G. P. Gram	37	1.12	1.45	2.18			33

(1ST CLASS PONIES)

Pony & Rider	¼m.	½m.	¾m.	1m.	1¼m.	1½m.	Last ¼
Autumnlight, C. B. Moller	38	1.14	1.47.2	2.20			32.3
Bonlomond, ?	39.3	1.16	1.50	2.23			33
Fairy Jackdaw, Boy	39.3	1.16	1.49.3	2.22			32.2
Felixstowe, Boy	39	1.16	1.50	2.22.2			32.2
Frostylight, C. B. Moller	40	1.18.2	1.53	2.25			32
Going Haywire, G. Renner	35.2	1.09.2	1.42				32.3
High Power, Boy	34.3	1.09	1.41.3	2.15.3			34
Gold Vase, Mrs. Liddell	35.2	1.09	1.42	2.14			32
Honoymoon Gift, Boy	38	1.14	1.47	2.19			32
King of Kings, J. Pote-Hunt	34.3	1.09	1.41.3	2.14.3			33
Magic Eve, Boy	39	1.17	1.55	2.29.2	3.00.2		31
Mefistofele, ?	45	1.24	1.59	2.34			35
Merry Jester, Boy	37	1.12	1.45	2.17			32
Mou Tan Hua, J. Pote-Hunt	36	1.09	1.42	2.15			33
Roehampton, Boy	32	1.04	1.37				33
Scramble Morn, Boy	38	1.16	1.53	2.29	2.03	3.36	33
Smokylight, Boy	37	1.11	1.44	2.16			32
Stolzeneck, E. B. Cumine	38	1.13	1.49	2.23			34
The Frigate, A. Noodt	37	1.11	1.44	2.16.3			32.3
Woodbridge, Boy	33.3	1.06	1.37.3				31.3

(2ND CLASS PONIES)

Pony & Rider	¼m.	½m.	¾m.	1m.	1¼m.	1½m.	Last ¼
Beautylight, Boy	39	1.15	1.49.2	2.21			31.3
Cherrybey, F. Noodt	38	1.13	1.46.2	2.19			32.2
Corps Cavalry, Boy	36	1.09	1.42	2.15			33
Cottonlight, Boy	38	1.14	1.47.2	2.20			32.3
Don Agustin, S. Y. Sung	41	1.16	1.50	2.23			33
Don Pedro, J. Pote-Hunt	40	1.15.3	1.48.3	2.24.3			36
Going Slow, G. Renner	41.2	1.23.3	2.03	2.37	3.10		33
Goldenlight, Boy	37	1.11.3	1.45	2.18.3			33.3
Lilum, Boy	39	1.16	1.50	2.23			33
Mightylight, Boy	41	1.18.2	1.53	2.26			33
Romford, R. D. Parkin	39	1.15	1.49	2.21			32
Sammy, G. Renner	39	1.15	1.49	2.21			32
Sootylight, C. B. Moller	37.3	1.13.3	1.48	2.20			32
Sparkfoot, H. Maitland	39	1.16.1	1.50	2.22.1			52.1
The Fledgling, Boy	38	1.13.3	1.48	2.20			32
The Swan, A. Noodt	38	1.13.3	1.48	2.20			32
Un Un Un, J. K. Brand	39	1.16.1	1.50.1	2.22			31.4
Phantom, F. Marshall	35	1.07.3	1.39.3	2.14			34.2
White Wine, G. P. Gram	40	1.16	1.50	2.22.3			32.3

(3RD & 3A CLASSES PONIES)

Pony & Rider	¼m.	½m.	¾m.	1m.	1¼m.	1½m.	Last ¼
Bombardment, J. B. Lok	44	1.24	2.00.3	2.33			32.3
Sir Charles, Boy	34	1.07.3	1.40				32.2
Airylight, Boy	41	1.16.2	1.53	2.26			33
Blue Peter, A. Noodt	38	1.12	1.46	2.19			33
Bramshot, G. Renner	40	1.17	1.52.1	2.25			32.4
Charminglight, Boy	40	1.18	1.53	2.27			34
Clavorton, V. L. Xavier	36	1.11.3	1.45				33.2
Downside, L. C. Kew	38	1.13	1.49	2.26			37
Drumalla, Boy	38	1.15	1.50.3	2.23			33
Friesenfels, Boy	38.2	1.12	1.46	2.19			34
Ideal King, J. Pote-Hunt	36	1.11	1.45	2.21			36
Kanoungtoe, R. Morgan	36	1.10.3	1.44.3	2.19			34.2
Man O'Pep, R. Morgan	36	1.09	1.43	2.19			36
Merry Memories, Boy	38	1.13	1.49	2.23			34
Morning Glory, G. V. Cherdynzoff	33	1.07	1.40				33
Receivership, J. B. Lok	42	1.19	1.52	2.27			35
Record Mark, Boy	39.3	1.16	1.49.3	2.22			32.2
Royal Scot, G. P. Gram	39	1.16.3	1.52.3	2.25			32.2
Saucylight, Boy	38	1.15	1.53.3	2.23			32.2
Zucchini, Boy	35	1.07	1.39.3				32.3
Wolfenfels, ?	41	1.18	1.54.3	2.28.3	3.01		32.2
White Major, A. V. White	41	1.17	1.52	2.24			32
Toodle-do, W. G. Turbyfill	40	1.17	1.51	2.23.2			32.2

Many Fast Training Gallops at S.R.C.

Libertylight Dangerous; Covers Mile in 2.11.4 and Hard Held at Finish

By "CHING"

Yesterday morning from daylight up to 8 a.m. the Shanghai Race Club was a busy hive, with very many in attendance watching the gallops that were taking place on the training track, some at a fast pace opening up prospects for some very interesting racing next Saturday, when, in addition to the Griffin Sweepstakes and other races on the flat, there is an "A" and "B" class handicap at one mile for all 1938 griffins, which should give two good races without it being too easy to forecast correctly the winner of either.

Amongst many good gallops done during the morning I must draw attention to the mile Libertylight did in 2.11.4, with a slow last quarter but being held hard and not asked to do it in fast time. If he starts in the mile handicap on Saturday he must be dangerous. Cherrylight also went well doing one mile in 2.13.3, last quarter 31. King of Kings (JPH) only took 2.13.4, over his mile, but the last quarter was 34.1.

Cordon Bleu Smartens Up

The Frigate (AN) went well when doing a mile in 2.16.2, last quarter 32.2, as also did Merry Jester, as he finished up with a fast and good style last quarter. Time for his mile was 2.16.4, last quarter 31. Cherrybey (FN) went one mile in 2.18 finishing it up well with the last quarter in 32.3. The Fledgling and The Swan took a nice training gallop together when doing one mile in 2.18, last quarter 32.3.

Gold Vase (BL) covered his mile in 2.13, last quarter 32.4. The same rider took Cordon Bleu a similar distance in 2.13.2, with the last quarter in 33. His last Saturday's race seems to have smartened him up, and he may give a good account of himself in this Saturday's mile handicap where he gets in at his weight for inches. As a winner, and the second in the Derby, he has last Saturday's unsatisfactory performance to thank for the weight he is allowed to weigh out at this Saturday.

Rye Finishes Uncertainly

Port Bradda looking very well did his mile in 2.17.2, last quarter 32.2, whilst Blue Peter did his in 2.18.4 last quarter 33.1. Going Haywire took 2.19, over his mile with last quarter in 33.2. Un Un Un and Sparkfoot went a mile together in 2.23.3, last quarter 33. Royal Scot was a couple of seconds slower over his mile, but did the last quarter in 32.2.

A. F. Clark was ou on both Rye and Newcastle taking each of them ¾ mile in about 1.37. Rye did not finish too well, but Newcastle who was with Woodbridge came home in first class style. Phantom (FM) did his ¾ mile in 1.38.3 with not too good a last quarter in 34.1. Frostylight and Merrylight were both out during the morning. I did not take their times but both finished up in good style and look like being winners on Saturday.

Discussion Rife Here On Hongkong Decision

Why Did Bowls Interport Match End in Draw?

The second game of the Interport Lawn Bowls series was played yesterday between Shanghai and Hongkong in the Colony upon the greens of the Civil Service Club, resulting in victory for Shanghai. The first game, played on Sunday afternoon resulted in a draw and discussion is still rife in Shanghai as to how and why the match was left in this state.

From reports received it has been suggested that the umpire of the game was under the impression that as two further matches had to be played the first game of the series could be left at a tie if the position arose. This decision is as inexplicable as it is mystifying and it is difficult to see upon what it is based. In the first place, there are at least two precedents in Interport play where extra ends were played in a drawn game, Hongkong, incidentally, being involved in both of these. The first was in 1932 when the Colony met Shanghai on the greens of the Junior Golf Club. The opening game at the 21st end showed a score of 16-all and the visitors won by one shot in the 22nd end. Also in Shanghai, Hongkong defeated Hankow during their meeting here in 1934. The score stood at 19 shots for each side at the close of the 21st and again, in the head which followed, Hongkong won by taking two more shots.

Also, the ruling of the International Bowling Board is very definite upon the subject. The old rule, that is to say that in force before this year states under 'Conditions of a Game':

"4. When a game consists of a stated number of heads, and there is only one rink on each side, should it be found when the given number of heads has been played that the scores are equal, an extra head shall be played, and should the result again be a tie, another head shall be played, and so on until a decision is arrived at. (When playing the first extra head the choice of throwing the jack shall be decided by tossing a coin or drawing as mutually agreed upon'."

1939 Rules

In the 1938 rules this has been amended slightly and reads:—

"4. When a game consists of a stated number of heads, should it be found when the given number of heads has been played that the scores are equal, an extra head shall be played, the jack being thrown by the side which won the previous head."

Whichever rules, the old or the new, are adopted in Hongkong the principle is the same and a tie obviated. The match in question was certainly 'a game' and the question of other games or matches in the series does not arise. Further elucidation upon this subject is eagerly awaited and will probably be available in the detailed reports of the match when these arrive from Hongkong.

Wally Pack Turns Professional

London, Oct. 15.

Wally Pack, the A.B.A. welterweight champion in 1936, and generally conceded to be the best amateur middleweight in the country, has turned professional under the management of the National Sporting Club. Pack, who is 23 years old, will continue to assist his father in the running of their London public house.

His elder brother, Harry, the well-known lightweight, said:

"Wally has no further honours to win as an amateur. He is comfortably off and all that he earns as a professional will be put to one side."

During his career as an amateur fighter, Pack had 175 battles and successfully represented Great Britain in America and several continental countries.

He took part in the matches with the New York Golden Glove Champions, both in America and in England and was successful on both occasions.

His last amateur bout as a member of the Polytechnic Boxing Club was at Zandvoort, in Holland, when he stopped P. van Brussel, the Dutch boxer, in the third round of their fight.—Reuter.

Tony Canzoneri Fails To Make "Comeback"

Former Champion Mere Shadow of Former Self

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 18.

Tony Canzoneri, once one of the greatest lightweight champions the world had ever seen, failed in an attempt to comeback tonight when he dropped a split decision to Fritzie Zivic of Pittsburgh in ten furious rounds of slugging.

Tong was overweight and slow, tipping the beam at 144, and the once famous left jab which cut so many fighters into shreds was but a mere shadow of its former efficiency.

At times Canzoneri threw science to the winds and waded in to slug it out with the youthful Zivic, who came in at 140.

Friends attempted to persuade Canzoneri against a comeback recently, but financial reverses and an inability to secure a position commensurate with his needs forced the former champion to don the mittens and essay a return to the ring. His future plans are not now known.—United Press.

Cathedral School Sports

The Cathedral School for Boys is holding its annual sports programme on Saturday at Kiaochow Road Park beginning at 2 p.m.

International Chess Club Meeting

Professor Ely Re-elected President of Body

Professor John A. Ely was re-elected President of the International Chess Club of Shanghai at the annual general meeting which was held last night in the Foreign Y.M.C.A. lounge. H. W. Snow was chosen as Hon. Secretary-Treasurer.

The new Committee comprises of R. Barbier, D. Poliakoff, H. B. Gledhill and S. Kosovsky.

Owing to the disturbed period of the Sino-Japanese hostilities during the past season Club membership has fallen off. Instead of the usual 50 to 60 members there were only 22 at present. Some of the old members have left Shanghai while others were prevented from attending the various meetings in the past because of curfew regulations, volunteer service and other reasons in connection with the emergency situation.

It was expressed, last night, that in this coming year, with conditions gradually becoming normal, membership will reach its former number and even be increased. The Club feels certain that all the tournaments can be held this season and the incoming officers will begin to make out the plans very soon.

Gliding to Be Included In Olympic Games

Helsinki, Oct. 19.

The Finnish organization committee has definitely decided to have gliding included in the programme of the Olympic Games for 1940.

The competition, which will be organized by the Finnish air defence organisation, is to be held at the Jaemijaervi gliding camp.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Wins Second Lawn Bowls Game

In the second game of the Interport series between Shanghai and Hongkong played yesterday in the Colony, Shanghai won by the substantial margin of 30 shots to 10. Shanghai was represented by H. Wallace (skip), A. M. Gutierrez, J. M. C. Lopes and K. L. Swartzell.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Pokerlaw; 2, Plain Bee.
Also ran:—Hei Jen Ya Kiao, Dinna Ken, Marjorie, Brilliant Bill.
½ lengths.—Time, 27.47.
Win, $12.20. Forecast (1-5) Div. $30.80.
Place, 1st $6.40; 2nd $7.70.

2—500 yd. flat.—1, The Queen; 2, Wild Wind.
Also ran:—Our Best, Rover, Uranus, North Law.
15 lengths.—Time, 31.24.
Win, $16.50. Forecast (6-2) Div. $80.30.
Place, 1st $7.70; 2nd $13.80.
Double Event 1/2 (1-6) Div. $11.70.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Irish Meloy; 2, Terminjay.
Also ran:—Adowa, Sam Holer, Bin-Bin, Odin.
1½ lengths.—Time, 31.48.
Win, $41.00. Forecast (3-5) Div. $193.10.
Place, 1st $55.30; 2nd $14.20.
Double Event 2/3 (6-3) Div. $55.00.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Arrow; 2, Slippery Sam.
Also ran:—Luss, Kind Girl, Tragopan, Dai Wu Day.
1 lengths.—Time, 31.14.
Win, $14.90. Forecast (3-6) Div. $79.20.
Place, 1st $9.90; 2nd $10.80.
Double Event 3/4 (3-3) Div. $65.20.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, My Gal; 2, Livex.
Also ran:—Wild Flower, Last Ray, Patricia, Black Duchess.
½ length.—Time, 31.09.
Win, $39.80. Forecast (1-6) Div. $191.40.
Place, 1st $16.20; 2nd $14.70.
Double Event 4/5 (3-1) Div. $46.10.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Shenkoland II; 2, Hielan Lassie.
Also ran:—Planet, Golden Robe, Lone Tess, Clara Fante.
3 lengths.—Time, 30.59.
Win, $22.20. Forecast (4-1) Div. $200.30.
Place, 1st $13.10; 2nd $15.10.
Double Event 5/6 (1-4) Div. $93.70.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Talisman; 2, Assurance.
Also ran:—Mei Lee Bar, Venus II, Gay Cavalier, Fairy Bells.
3½ lengths.—Time, 30.24.
Win, $26.70. Forecast (4-5) Div. $77.30.
Place, 1st $10.30; 2nd $9.00.
Double Event 6/7 (4-4) Div. $60.50.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Den Juan; 2, Follow Me.
Also ran:—Dainly Maid, Nancy Blue, Big Shot, Maid of Honour.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.11.
Win, $25.50. Forecast (3-5) Div. $241.60.
Place, 1st $13.0; 2nd $19.30.
Double Event 7/8 (4-3) Div. $68.60.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Rosie O'Hara; 2, Belle O'New York.
Also ran:—Star Boy, Lady's Man, Wayside Petticorin, Jubilee Queen.
5 lengths.—Time, 29.72.
Win, $26.20. Forecast (6-1) Div. $169.60.
Place, 1st $13.50; 2nd $34.60.
Double Event 8/9 (3-6) Div. $98.00.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Madam Talgai; 2, Blue Moon.
Also ran:—Eve, Warrenfield, Lady Whirlwind, Top Notcher.
5½ lengths.—Time, 29.82.
Win, $41.40. Forecast (5-4) Div. $166.30.
Place, 1st $17.70; 2nd $12.30.
Double Event 9/10 (6-5) Div. $76.50.

11—525 yd. flat.—1, Tinker; 2, Brilliance.
6 lengths.—Time, 30.84.
Win, $14.10. Forecast (1-2) Div. $62.00.
Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $11.20.
Double Event 10/11 (5-1) Div. $59.20.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Careless Chop; 2, Luhai Lena.
2½ lengths.—Time, 30.86.
Win, $30.40. Forecast (5-3) Div. $237.30.
Place, 1st $12.00; 2nd $15.90.
Double Event 11/12 (1-5) Div. $44.30.

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Archibald Scores Smashing Upset

Batters J. Belloise Into Submission to Get World Featherweight Title

New York, Oct. 18.

Joey Archibald, youthful Brooklyn slasher, tonight became featherweight champion of the world in the eyes of the New York State Athletic Commission when he scored a smashing upset victory over Mike Belloise, former champion, in fifteen furious rounds. Archibald came in at 124¼, while Belloise tipped the beam at 125¼. The New York champion must, however, defeat Leo Rodak of Chicago before he can be accorded N.B.A. recognition as champion.

The bout tonight was an old fashioned back alley scrap, with seven thousand hysterical fans creating a pandemonium of cheering as the Brooklyn boy fought his way to victory.

Archibald's margin of victory was convincing. He took nine rounds, Belloise took three, and three were called even.

Terrific Battering

At the close of the fight Archibald had a deep gash in his left cheek, and another gash high up on his forehead. Belloise also was badly pummelled, having a gash over his right eye, which itself was almost completely closed.

In most of the rounds Archibald gave Belloise a terrific battering, and there was no doubt about the victor.

The bout was staged as one of a current series of eliminations to determine a successor to Henry Armstrong, who retired from the title some time ago.

Armstrong took the title and cleared up a general mess when he successively defeated Petey Sarron and Mike Belloise, both title claimants, in his climb to fame. Sarron is no longer in the picture, but Belloise is still an important contender. With his defeat by Archibald, however, Belloise is now temporarily out of the picture, and only Leo Rodak stands in Archibald's path to undisputed recognition.—United Press.

Police Football Team Against A.S.F.

In their first division football against the Association Sportif Française at the Canidrome on Sunday, beginning at 10.30 a.m., the Police will be represented by: F. Peasgood; A. Turner, J. Shute; T. Crooke, N. Douglas, Roliz; G. T. Clarke, Pechineux, W. Ward, F. Woodley, and S. Greenberg.

Marines Holding Boxing Smoker Tonight

Preparation for Fights Against U.S. Navy

In a timely effort to discover talent for next month's Walla Walla Cup competitions with the United States Navy, the Fourth Marines are staging at the Canidrome Gardens tonight an inter-battalion smoker, which will feature twelve three-round bouts, each frame of two minutes duration.

All competitors are amateurs and none has appeared in any local ring up to the present. According to Marine circles, some excellent fights are expected to materialize, especially in the heavier classes.

The first bout will begin at 9 p.m. and entry to the Canidrome Gardens will be by invitation only, no tickets being on sale.

The following is the scheduled programme of events:

HEAVYWEIGHT
Bikowski v. Warner

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT
Forchler v. Burney

MIDDLEWEIGHT
Tallian v. Tierney

WELTERWEIGHT
Banks v. Brady
Gentile v. Ayres
Bearst v. Hamrick
Caulk v. Massey
Ballinger v. Raddovich
Neuklis v. Jose

LIGHTWEIGHT
Poprovak v. Clark
Paschenik v. Smolley
Sadler v. Holmbert

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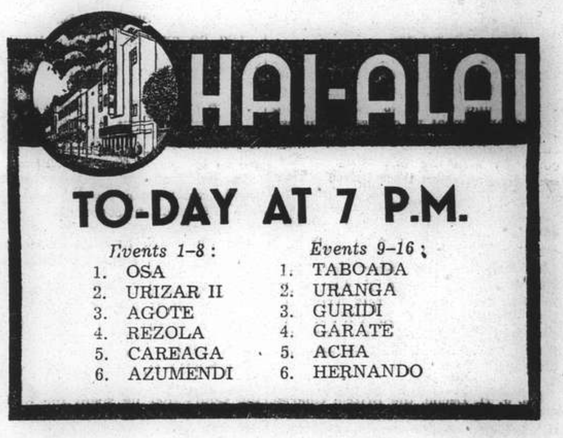

TO-DAY AT 7 P.M.

Events 1–8:	Events 9–16:
1. OSA	1. TABOADA
2. URIZAR II	2. URANGA
3. AGOTE	3. GURIDI
4. REZOLA	4. GARATE
5. CAREAGA	5. ACHA
6. AZUMENDI	6. HERNANDO

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13. 17. 18.
10. 13. 17.
3. 13. 17.
13. 14. 17.

2nd Division. 12 goals. 1 claim received.
5. 6. 17.

Consolation Awards. DIVISION ONE

7.	9.	18.	$10.00
12.	13.	16.	$10.00
14.	18.	19.	$10.00
8.	13.	18.	$ 5.00
16.	18.	21.	$ 5.00
14.	15.	16.	$ 5.00
5.	10.	18.	$ 5.00

Consolation Awards. DIVISION TWO

14.	15.	22.	$10.00
1.	18.	20.	$10.00
2.	9.	20.	$10.00
4.	12.	13.	$ 5.00
9.	16.	22.	$ 5.00
11.	12.	21.	$ 5.00
5.	10.	13.	$ 5.00

Dividends will be paid on presentation of coupons which must be made before Noon, Saturday October 22

SCOTLAND AND COMPANY
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Southern California's Rose Bowl Chances Weighed

Powerful Backfield Unsupported by Tackles and Ends of Quality; Versatile Quarterback

Los Angeles, Oct. 15.

IF some benevolent magician will kindly dream up a couple of rugged ends and tackles, the University of Southern California football pennant may flutter over the Rose Bowl come New Year's Day.

In all but those two positions, the stuff is there and it is mellow. The backfield is gilt-edged. From guard to centre and back to guard the line is first cousin to the immovable object. More important, after two years of research, headman Howard Jones has juiced up his system and applied a fresh coat of paint.

This is Jones' now-or-never year. Since 1925 his U.S.C. teams have lost only 30 games against 101 they have won, but 19 of the 30 came in the last four years. The curly wolf known as the alumni already has crossed his threshold and will walk right in at the least provocation.

Only two things appear capable of stopping the war-horse from the gallop that has been overdue for four years. One is the obvious weakness on the far ends of the forward wall. The other is the strongest set of opponents in the nation.

Tackles Important

A Jones-coached team rises or falls on its tackles. Softness here cost the Trojans the Stanford and Notre Dame games last year, when they tied with Washington State for fifth place in the Pacific Coast Conference. The weakness still is apparent, with only Howard Stoecker returning to the Left side and Ray George, Phil Gaspar and Bob Fisher to the right.

Flanks also are discouraging. Two three-year regulars have departed. Ray Wehba is the only good blocker, with Ralph Stanley, Bill Fish and Jim Slatter the other top candidates. A few men may be taken from the over-stocked backfield and converted to bolster these wings, and, incidentally, revive the once deadly end-around sweeps.

Three of the 25 lettermen are centres. They are topped by Capt. Bon McNeil, 210 pounds of venom. Anthony Tonelli and Alex Atanasoff, the reserves, can play guard equally well. Harry Smith was one of the most polished running guards on the coast in 1937. He will be backstopped by Ray Halvorsen while John Thomassin and Ben Sohn, a sophomore, alternative on the right side.

Brilliant Backfield

The backfield is the cause of most of the joy. Grenville Landsdell at quarter, Ambrose Schindler at full and Bob Hoffman and Boyd Morgan at left and right halfs is the present line-up. Landsdell can kick, run and pass. He will be spelled by Doyle Nave and Don Keller, also excellent passers, and Oliver Day, part-time full last year.

Schindler and Angelo Peccianti both are bothered with trick legs, but will carry most of the fullback duties, along with speedy Bill Sangster. Other good backs are Bob Peoples, Jack Banta, Joe Shell and Mickey Anderson, another speedster. There are 13 lettermen in the backfield.

In addition to the conference round-robin, Southern California will face three of the strongest available intersectional opponents in Alabama, which opens the season here, Ohio State and Notre Dame.—United Press.

Hockey Association Annual Meeting

W. G. Clarke Elected to Presidency; Division of Teams Arranged

Yesterday evening at the Foreign Y.M.C.A. the Annual General Meeting of the Shanghai Hockey Association was held when officers for the coming season were elected and arrangements discussed.

The Secretary, in his report for the past season, stated that in spite of the difficulties which had been encountered, particularly with regard to Hongkew Park being closed, a very satisfactory record of play could be shown. Out of the 21 teams which had been entered in the Leagues nine came from the services, who had finished at the head of all three divisions. He wished particularly to thank Mr. L. J. Hughes of the Recreation Ground Committee for the help which he had given at all times and also the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. W. J. Silvey for the improved financial standing of the Association which was shown this year.

After the rules covering the voting powers of those present had been interpreted, the business of the meeting was continued but not before the suggestion was put forward that the incoming council should be requested to re-draft these rules and put them into some form which could be more readily understood.

The following officers were elected for the coming season:—

Hon. President.—Mr. W. G. Clark.
Vice-President.—Mr. F. G. Cordt and Capt. Cole.
Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.—Mr. W. J. Silvey.
Council Members.—Messrs. J. S. Kenyon and K. M. Pate.

League Arrangements

Two further vacancies have to be filled upon the Council and it was felt that names would be submitted to the Hon. Secretary before Saturday next from which the existing Council would complete its full strength.

The question of the League arrangements were then discussed. The uncertainty of the arrival of the East Surrey Regiment was one difficulty which arose but this was overcome by entering one team in the first division upon their behalf. This brought the total league entries to eighteen and it was decided to run three divisions, the entries for which are as follows:—

"A" Division.—Shanghai Hockey Club, two teams; German Hockey Club; Seaforths; United Hockey Club; East Surreys.
"B" Division.—German Hockey Club; United Hockey Club; J.A.C.; Police; Area Details; Seaforths.
"C" Division.—S. M. Gaol; United Hockey Club; German Hockey Club; Khalsa; Shanghai Hockey Club; Sikhs.

The suggestion that League play should begin on November 12 was put before the Council.

Means of improving the financial status of the Association and defraying the cost of the ground rent were gone into and various recommendations were made to the council.

The meeting concluded with a hearty vote of thanks to both Mr. J. P. Jones and Mr. G. F. Mant, the retiring President and Secretary, for the duties they had so ably performed during the past year.

"Munich Pact Should Be Extended"

"The Times" on Europe's Present Situation

London, Oct. 19.

Always provided the strength of the Western Powers is maintained at an adequate level, war in Europe would threaten Germany with losses disproportionate to any possible gain.

This was the view put forward in an editorial in "The Times" today.

The Four Power co-operation begun at Munich, the editorial went on to state, could be brought to rest on a solid foundation of common interest, which would be likely to be found broader as it was more fully explored.

No distrust of the National Socialist and the Fascist doctrine, "The Times" declared, should prevent its assiduous exploration, just as no distrust of Communism should prevent the extension of the understanding so as to embrace the fifth of the great European Powers.—Reuter.

Reich Limits Pensions To Pastors

Berlin, Oct. 19.

The German Reich, in a decree issued today by Herr Hans Kerrl, Church Minister, ordered all pensions stopped to pastors "who do not limit their activities to religion and church matters and thus violate the state's political order."

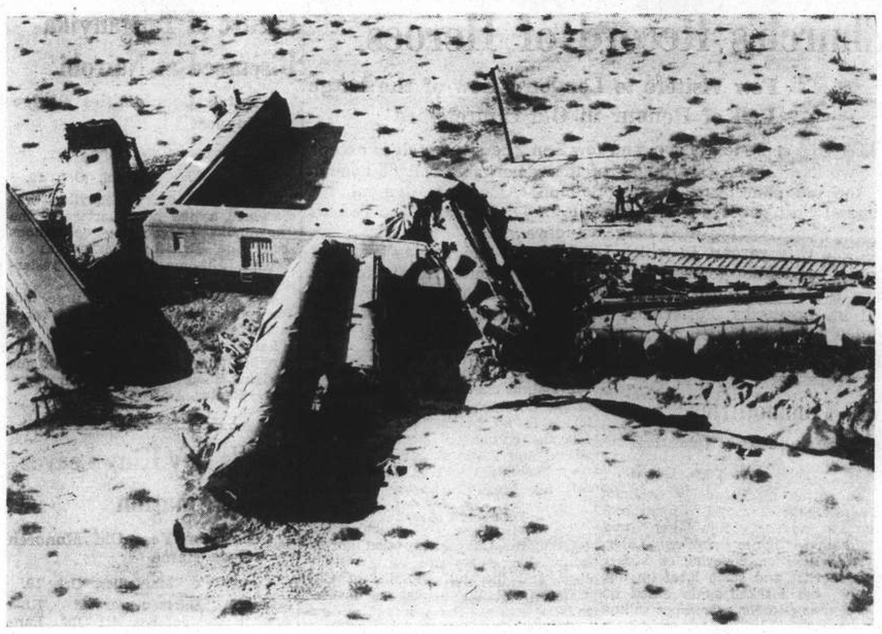
The order was the latest outgrowth of clashes between Nazis and Catholics over charges that the church has been interfering in matters that are entirely under the jurisdiction of the state.—United Press.

Poland, Manchukuo Sign Trade Agreement

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

The Polish Minister and the Manchoukuoan Ambassador today signed a trade agreement whereby the two countries will exchange consuls to conduct business, mutually protect nationals and facilitate trade.

Official circles viewed the agreement as virtual recognition of Manchoukuo.—United Press.



American Trains Collide

An aerial view of the wreckage of two crack American passenger trains—the Californian and the Aeronaut—which collided at Niland, California. Ten persons lost their lives and more than 75 were injured. The Californian was reported to have been standing in the sidings waiting for the westbound Aeronaut to pass when suddenly the latter train plunged into the siding and collided head-on with the waiting train.

Anti-Jewish Drive Pressed in Italy

U.S. Anti-Fascist Move Rouses Press Campaign; Ban of Brokers Spreads

Rome. Oct. 18.

Decision of the Federation of American Jews to form a league and combat Fascism and Nazism, may lead the Italian Government to adopt more rigorous anti-Semitic measures, the press intimated today. Newspapers draw attention to the address delivered in Trieste by Signor Benito Mussolini when the Italian Premier declared that Italy's attitude towards her Jewish population would depend not only upon the Israelites within her frontiers but also on those abroad.

"Lavoro Fascista" writes, "Fascism will end by treating Jews as foreigners and enemies of Italy." Other newspapers also published today long articles upon the arrest of former Deputy Philipson and Professor Colorni, two Jews accused of anti-Fascist activities. Much publicity is also given the affair of clandestine traffic of currency, which implicates the Jewish broker, Signor Sacerdoti.

Latest measures to eliminate Jewish brokers from Italian exchange markets will, it is now estimated, affect 34 out of the 234 authorized Italian exchange brokers. In Trieste, even entry into the exchange building is forbidden to Jews.—Havas.

Italian Reply to U.S.

Washington, Oct. 18.

Italy's reply to the U.S. Note on the question of American Jews residing in Italy, provides for the constitution of a special committee to investigate individual cases, the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, announced today.—Havas.

Germany to Aid Migration

London, Oct. 18.

Germany is ready to co-operate with the Powers represented at the Evian Conference some time ago, to accelerate the swift and orderly emigration of German Jews.

This was reported today in quarters close to the Refugee Committee here, who declare that despatches to this effect have been received by the British and United States Governments from their respective ambassadors in Berlin.

Plans provide that a Government official and a director of the Refugee Committee should leave for Berlin on Thursday to examine the possibility of immediate and practical collaboration in this matter.—Havas.

Philippine Clipper Just Escapes Disaster

Honolulu, Oct. 19.

Passengers aboard the Philippine Clipper disclosed today they had narrowly averted a forced landing yesterday en route to Guam from Manila, 600 miles from Guam.

The No. 4 starboard motor began smoking and throwing oil, the passengers declared. Capt. A. E. LaPorte began side-slipping, keeping his right wing high. The ship descended from 8,500 feet to 100 feet at an approximate rate of 2,000 feet a minute.

Capt. LaPorte leveled the ship out and continued on his course with three motors. He gradually attained a moderate altitude and continued on in to Guam. The motors were changed at Guam, necessitating a long delay at that point.—United Press.

Chinese Students Given Welcome to England

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 19.

Twenty scholars under the British Boxer Indemnity Funds arrived here yesterday on the P. & O. ss. Chitral, after travelling overland from Marseilles.

Mr. H. T. Silcock, of the China Institute, entertained them to luncheon. Sir Neill Malcolm and Sir Denison Ross were present at the luncheon.

Welcoming the students, Dr. C. C. Wang, Chairman of the China Purchasing Commission, reminded them that they had a double duty—that to themselves, and that to China in her hour of trial.

He bade them fit themselves for service to the new China which, he said, surely must arise from the fires of war.—Reuter.

Author Not Allowed to Land at Kobe

Miss Freda Utley Called Anti-Japanese Writer

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

On the ground that she is responsible for anti-Japanese writings, police refused to allow Miss Freda Utley, English author, to land at Kobe when she arrived there today from Hongkong aboard the Empress of Canada, according to a Japanese report.

Miss Utley, who wrote "Japan's Feet of Clay," is described as a correspondent of the Manchester Guardian and is stated to be en route to Britain via America.—Reuter.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain Returns to London

London, Oct. 19.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, returned to London this morning, after completing his holiday. He is expected to consider many questions affecting the international situation.—Reuter.

Pope Exhorts Catholics In U.S. to Lead Way

"Be Shining Example of Faith," Urges Pontiff

New Orleans, Oct. 18.

More than 100,000 Catholics gathered here for the Eighth National Eucharistic Congress heard the Pope close the first official mass with a broadcast today from Vatican City in which the Pontiff extolled American Catholics.

The Pope exhorted Catholics in the United States to "be a shining example of the Catholic faith and virtue" in these troubled times when "many things give cause for fear and anxiety."

The broadcast was also heard by millions of Catholics throughout the United States who specially tuned in listen to the talk which was relayed to the nation by stations with nation-wide networks.

A sermon featured the Pontifical High Mass which formally opened the Congress.

Archbishop Edward Mooney of Detroit preached the sermon. He rebuked "those who would banish religion from human life." He also cautioned against the "dangers of a programme of Godlessness which, with deadly effect, is carrying forward so many fronts of the world."

Cardinal Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, celebrated the mass which was attended by nearly 100,000 Catholic pilgrims from all parts of the United States.

The Cardinal arrived here yesterday when he was given a magnificent reception. A grand procession marked the opening of the Congress.—United Press.

Peiping-Tangku Highway

Peiping, Oct. 19.

To facilitate the transportation of goods between Peiping and Tangku, work on a highway connecting the two cities will begin on November 1 under the Reconstruction Administration of the Provisional Government. The highway, when completed, will be 160 km. long.

In order to prevent possible disturbances to construction work, the Administration has decided to organize a police corps, to be headed by a Japanese and to be armed with most up-to-date equipment. These police corps will be stationed at different points where work is in progress.

It is estimated that the highway will take four years to complete and will cost about $35,000,000.—Reuter.

Nazis Win Against Catholics

"Render Unto Fuehrer Things That Are His," Basis of Compromise

Vienna, Oct. 18.

A truce favourable to the Nazis and the end of violent anti-Catholic demonstrations seemed imminent today because the Church Youth's Organization and Catholic Action paraphrased a passage of the Bible and issued a manifesto saying, "render unto the Fuehrer all things that are the Fuehrer's and unto God all things that are God's."

This manifesto was taken as highly significant because it almost identically conformed with the demands for such an attitude made last week by Herr Joseph Buerckel, Reich Administrator for Austria.

Although the manifesto noticeably eased the tension existing here between Nazi and Catholic leaders, thus far there has been no indication that Cardinal Innitzer or Herr Buerckel have agreed on jurisdictional detail.

The new approach to a truce, it was understood, was the result of negotiations between the Nazi District Leader, Herr Eric Grüber, and the Bishop of Linz, Dr. Johannes Maria Pfoellner.

Meanwhile, it was understood that Nazi reprisals against Catholics who had participated in the October 7 demonstration favouring religious education, had already started. Reprisals resulted in many Catholics losing their jobs or being demoted from their present positions.—United Press.

Jews Report Atrocities

Vienna, Oct. 18.

Jewish residents of this city who dared to leave their homes only in late afternoon today told authorities details of the anti-semitic demonstrations which occurred last night.

After the prayer hour at Malzase Temple, the Jewish informants said, thirty young men forced the caretakers to give up the keys to the temple and to the Talmud-Thora school. They entered the two buildings, smashed the furnishing and windows of the school and then broke down a wall into the temple.

Burning feather-beds taken from the caretaker's rooms were tossed into the temple and the wooden walls and prayer chair burst into flames before men could extinguish the blaze.

The intruders, according to the Jewish informants, knocked the head off a life-size statute of "the Mother and Child" in the famous Jewish museum building, and also destroyed many objects used in the exhibition.

The caretaker said he was so intimidated he told authorities nothing of the affair until this morning. He said the demonstrators also hurled fire into the Montefiore prayerhouse, which was quickly extinguished. The Holy Thora roll and silverware was hidden in time.

Since yesterday was the last day of the eight-day Feast of the Tabernacles, which few Jews dared to observe, the demonstrations are now believed to be at an end.—United Press.

No Changes in French Government

Paris, Oct. 18.

Authoritative quarters here denied today reports appearing in several newspapers alleging that a Government reshuffle was imminent. The same circles also denied that the Government intended to dissolve the Chamber of Deputies.—Havas.

Turkish Premier May Become President

Kemal Ataturk Sinking Fast; Populace Grieve

Istanbul, Oct. 18.

The Premier, M. Celal Bayar, and the Turkish Ambassador in London, M. Bay Fethi Okyar, are now freely mentioned here as possible successors to President Kemal Ataturk, who is hourly losing his strength.

The President is suffering from liver trouble which has caused him serious days many months ago. The worst is feared and speculations rife upon his successor centre about these two, most likely to fill the post.

Marshal Fevzi, Governor-General of Isparta, is giving active support to M. Okyar, who is an old Army comrade of the President.

According to the Turkish Constitution, a President must be elected by the National Assembly, which is at present in recess.

The population is grieving over Kemal Ataturk's serious condition, and Istanbul is noting an influx of political leaders. Among the latter are the Premier and the former Premier, M. Ismet Inonu.

A health bulletin was issued at 8 o'clock this evening, and this gave the people but little hope for their leader's recovery. It described his condition as "stationary." His pulse was then 120, breathing 22 and temperature, 38 degrees.—Havas.

OBITUARIES

Herr Otto Laesch

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Berlin, Oct. 19.

Herr Otto Laesch, 61-year-old director of the Hamburg-Amerika line, has died of heart failure.—Reuter.

Prefessor Madvez

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Brussels, Oct. 19.

Professor Madvoz, specialist in miners' diseases, has died here at the age of 76.—Reuter.

Prince Fushimi

Tokyo, Oct. 19.

The death has occurred today, from asthma, of H.I.H. Commander Prince Hiroyoshi Fushimi, eldest son of Fleet-Admiral Prince Hiroyasu Fushimi, Chief of the Naval General Staff.—Reuter.

Nationalist Raid on Cartagena

Madrid, Oct., 19.

Eighteen persons were killed and 34 injured yesterday in a Nationalist air-raid on the coastal town of Denia. Nationalist aircraft also attacked Cartagena, 326 miles south-east of Madrid. Republican fighters, however, kept the raiders off. One Nationalist plane was reported to have been shot down off Cape Palos.—Reuter.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money and Exchange

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1938

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8d.	$ 30.00
U.S. $100 @ 15$\frac{11}{16}$	$637.45

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8$\frac{1}{16}$	$29.767
U.S. $100 @ 16$\frac{1}{16}$	$622.56
London—demand	8$\frac{1}{16}$
4 months' sight credits	8$\frac{3}{32}$
4 months' sight docts	8$\frac{3}{32}$
6 months' sight credits	8⅛
6 months' sight docts	8$\frac{5}{32}$
New York—demand	U.S. 16\frac{1}{16}$
6 months' sight docts	16$\frac{3}{8}$
Paris—4 months' sight docts	Fcs. nom.

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling	8$\frac{1}{32}$	U.S.	15\frac{15}{16}$
Hongkong/London			1/2$\frac{15}{16}$

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying	29½
Java Guilders	,,	29½
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	28⅝
Java Guilders	,,	28⅝

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying	U.S.$100=$620.155	£1=$29.768
Selling	U.S.$100=$634.921	£1=$30.00

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 0.93¼=$1 Belgas 28.07=£1

Italian Bank For China

It. Lire 2.90=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.69½=$1
Tourist Lire 3.21 .... $1

Other Quotations

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 39¼
$100=Reg. Mk. 84.00

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTERBANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	8$\frac{1}{16}$	8$\frac{1}{64}$
U.S. G.$	16	15⅞
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

Cash	SELLING		BUYING Oct.
£ T.T.	8	4 m/s. l.c.	8$\frac{3}{32}$
G.$ T.T.	15⅞	4 m/s. l.c.	16⅛
Fcs. T.T.	595	4 m/s.	618
Rs. T.T.	44⅝	7 d/s.	45¼

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19$\frac{11}{16}$	19½
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	51.02	—

London silver was ⅛ up for ready and $\frac{3}{16}$ up forward, being 19$\frac{11}{16}$ for ready and 19½ forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 2 annas down at 51.02.

It was reported there was a little general buying, including some by the American trade. Offerings were small. Market steady. After the official fixing the market ruled quietly firm on the reserve of sellers.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8d. sterling and 15¾ U.S.$.

The Interbank market opened with sellers for cash at 8d. sterling and 15⅞ U.S.$ and was generally firmer during the morning, there being sellers for cash at one time at 8$\frac{1}{16}$ sterling and 16 U.S.$. The market closed steady with sellers at:—

8$\frac{1}{32}$ sterling	15$\frac{15}{16}$ U.S.$		Cash
8.- ,,	15⅞ ,,		Oct.
7$\frac{31}{32}$,,	15$\frac{9}{16}$,,		Nov.-

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Oct. 18.

Japan	78⅝	London	1/5$\frac{53}{64}$
New York	282½	2 mths	
Shanghai	47¼	,, (sellers)	1/5$\frac{53}{64}$
Hongkong	84¾	,, (buyers)	1/5$\frac{61}{64}$

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	475.12	Shanghai	8½d N
Paris	178.62	Bombay	1/5$\frac{61}{64}$
Berlin	11.86½	Hongkong	1/3
Amsterdam	8.73¼	Singapore	2/4$\frac{1}{32}$
Brussels	28.10½	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	,, (buying)	unq
Milan	90.31	C'slovakia	138.12S.
Berne	20.94	S—Sellers.	

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.07½	Japan	27.74
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	16.05
Holland	54.44	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.66$\frac{1}{16}$	C'slovakia	3.44½
Brussels	16.91½	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.73½	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.55	Greece	0.87¼
Norway	23.95	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	21.29	Finland	2.10½
Montreal	98.810	Poland	18.85
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.76$\frac{3}{16}$
,, Demand	4.75¾
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.75$\frac{11}{32}$
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.75$\frac{11}{32}$
Buenos Aires, Paper	29.56
,, ,, ,, market rate	25.02
Montreal on London	4.82⅛

Foreign Money Rates

London: Oct. 18.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0$\frac{23}{32}$%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¾%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¼%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0$\frac{7}{16}$%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0$\frac{9}{16}$%B 0½%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids In Pesos)

	Oct. 18	Oct. 19
Antamok	.35	.35
Atok	.32	.32
Benguet Consolidated	11.30	11.30
Coco Grove	.42	.43
Consolidated Mines	.003	.003
Demonstration	.27	.27
Mine Operations	.11	.12
San Mauricio	.78	.81
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United Paracale	.36	.37

Turnover: 235,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 87.37.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse Report

Paris, Oct. 18.

Because of poor indications on foreign markets, the Bourse today opened hesitantly on French counters and frankly have on International counters.

After issuance of first quotations, led by National Bonds, French stocks registered rather noticeable increases. Foreign shares also made a slight comeback. At closing-time, French stocks were firm.—Havas.

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, Oct. 18.

The Reichsmark was quoted today at New York 40.07; Paris 1505., Amsterdam 73.60 to 73.65, London 11.876.

Paris quoted sterling at 178,66 to 178.72 and the U.S. Dollar at 37.56 to 37.575.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Official Averages

1938 High	1938 Low		Today's Average	Change
143.16	103.30	General	126.45	—1.05
148.65	95.55	Rubbers	146.88	—0.18

Volume 45,768 shares, 560 bonds.

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

		CASH
$11,000	S. M. C. 5% Debs. 1934	$ 78.00
$45,000	S. M. C. 5% Debs. 1937	$ 78.00
3,000	Exploration	$ 6.25
100	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.80
2,600	Wheelock	$ 20.00
400	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.80
749	Wheelock	$ 20.00
700	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.00
500	Exploration	$ 6.25
2,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.26
1,000	Tanah Merah	$ 2.05
7,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.27
2,000	New Eng. (Ord)	$ 4.60
3,000	Cheng	$ 0.52
300	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.25
5,000	Cheng	$ 0.53
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.80
5,000	Semambu	$ 0.90
300	Wheelock	$ 20.25
75	Wheelock	$ 20.50
500	S'hai Loan	$ 5.15
100	S'hai Cotton	$ 95.00
300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.90
100	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.25
2,000	Cheng	$ 0.53
10	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.25
3,000	Kota	$ 2.70
250	S'hai Land	$ 7.70
500	S'hai Loan	$ 5.15
10	S. W. W. "A" £20	$610.00
4,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.27
24	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.50
50	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.00
1,000	Kelantan	$ 0.43

London Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, Oct. 18.

During the greater part of the session today, the trend was quietly easier on the Stock Exchange, but British gilt-edged securities rallied sharply near the close, causing a generally better feeling.—Reuter.

	Oct. 17	18
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£99⅞	100¼
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	43	42
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	52½	51
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	18/3	18/3
Armstrong, Stevens	5/9	5/9
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	37/6	37/4½
Austin Motors, ord.	25/-	24/4½
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	56/7½	56/6
British American Tob.	100/7½	100/7½
Cable & W., new form	44	43½
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/6	7/4½
Courtaulds	28/4½	28/6
Distillers	93/-	91/6
Dunlop Rubber	22/9	23/-
General Elec. (Eng.)	76/6	75/10½
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	97/-	97/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	28/3	28/-
Imp. Chem. Indus.	29/10½	30/1½
Imp. Tobacco	134/4½	133/9
Leyland Motors	84/4½	85/-
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	55/10½	56/3
Pressed Steel, com.	12/10½	13/4½
Rolls-Royce	101/3	100/10½
Smethwick Drop Forgings	14/9	15/-
Tate & Lyle	72/6	72/6
Turner & Newall	76/10½	76/3
United Steel	24/1½	24/-
Vickers, ord.	21/9	21/9
Woolworths	61/-	60/6
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	29/3	28/9
Rubber Pltn. Trust.	30/6	30/6
MINES		
Burma Corp.	10/6	10/3
Commonwealth Min.	2/1½	2/-
Marsman Invest.	16/-	15/9
Randfontein Ests.	40/10½	40/9
Sub-Nigel	241/3	240/-
Tanami Gold Min.	6d.	4½d.
Western Holdings	16/6	17/-
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	95/-	95/7½
Burmah	86/10½	87/6
Mexican Eagle	4/7½	4/9
Shell Trans. & Trad.	84/4½	85/-
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£75	75½
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	71	71
4½% Anglo-French Loan	78	79
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	42	42
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	55	55
5% Stg. Notes, 1925	15	15
5% Honan Rly., 1905	29	29
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	25	25
5% ,, ,, (Ger. Is.)	23	23
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	16½	16
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	24	24
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	20	19
5% ,, ,, G.	20	19
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) B.	20	19
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) G.	20	19
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	21	20
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30½	30½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	9¾	9¾
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	81½	81½
,, ,, (Col. Reg.)	84	84
Chinese Eng. & Min.	16/9	16/9
Chosen Corp.	7/-	7/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/9	23/9

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

London, Oct. 18.

Commodities mostly were quiet and featureless, but copper, after easing sharply when heavy profit taking found poor support, rallied in late dealings.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 8⅜ —⅛; sellers 8$\frac{7}{16}$ —⅛; Nov. del. buyers 8⅜ —⅛; sellers 8$\frac{7}{16}$ —⅛.

London Sugar (Buyers) Dec. 5/2 —¼; Mar. 5/3 —¼; May 5/4 —¼.

Liverpool Wheat: Oct. 4/11¼ —1¾; Dec. 4/8 —1; Mar. 4/7¼ —¾.

Liverpool Cotton: Amer. Futures: Oct. 4.85 +1; Jan. 4.81 unc; Mar. 4.80 unc; May 4.77 —1; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Oct. 7.42 —7; Nov. 7.42 —7; Jan. 7.60 —11; Mar. 7.61 —11.

London Metals: Copper, Stan. cash sellers £46 —2⅜; 3 mths sellers £46¼ —2⅜; Electrolytic buyers £50½ —3¼; sellers £52½ —2¼; Tin, Stan. Cash sellers £207¼ —3¾; 3 mths sellers 208¼ —3¾; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £16½ —$\frac{7}{16}$; 3 mths del sellers £16½ —½; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £15½ —$\frac{5}{16}$; 3 mths del. sellers £15⅝ —⅜.—Reuter.

Pigskin Monopoly in Manchoukuo

Changchun, Oct. 19.

The Manchoukuo monopoly octopus is again in action and this time one of its tentacles has fastened upon the pigskin industry. A new company is to be formed which is to monopolize the buying, sale and importation of pigskins.

The buying includes that of the domestic product as well as the foreign one; the sales comprise those of the skins themselves to "other countries" and those of the manufactured articles to the army. "Other countries," in all probability, can be taken as Japan.

The company is to be called the Manchuria Pigskin Corporation. It is to be a joint enterprise of the Manchuria Live Stock Company, the Manchurian and Mongolian Production Company and the Bristles Industry Company (which was formed recently to monopolise that product).

Manchoukuo, this year, is expected to export to Japan pigskins to the number of 350,000, valued at approximately 1,230,000 yen.—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Oct. 18.

Stock prices on Wall Street today opened easy under pressure of profit-taking, but later rallied on general buying influenced by continued favourable business news. Motors led the way upward, following the bullish announcement of General Motors. Sentiment was cheerful, and the volume of business passing was impressive. The turnover today amounted to 2,410,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	152.36	148.68	152.10	+1.29
20 Rails	30.74	29.76	30.63	+0.30
15 Utilit.	24.50	23.70	24.36	+0.01
40 Bonds	—	—	89.45	+0.03
11 Commod.	—	—	48.05	—0.13

	Oct. 17	18
Adams Express	12⅜	12¼
Alleghany Ludium Steel	18½	18¾
Allis Chalmers	52½	52¾
Amerada Corp.	66½	65⅞
Amer. Can	103¾	102
Amer. & For. Power	4⅝	4⅝
,, ,, $7 pfd.	22½	22½
Amer. Locomotive	23	24¼
Amer. Metal	43⅛	42⅞
Amer. Radiator	18	18¼
Amer. Rolling Mill	18¾	19⅛
Amer. Smelting	56½	56⅝
Amer. Sugar Refining	26¾	27⅛
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	146⅞	146⅝
Amer. Tobacco "B"	89¼	89⅛
Amer. Waterworks	13¾	13⅝
Anaconda Copper	39⅞	40⅛
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	37⅝	37¾
Auburn	4	4⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	8⅛	8⅜
Baltimore & Ohio, $4 pfd.	9¼	9¼
Barber Asphalt Corp.	20⅞	22½
Barnsdall Oil Co.	16½	16¾
Bethlehem Steel	63½	64½
Boeing Airplane Co.	29⅜	29½
Borg Warner	34⅛	35¾
Briggs Mfg. Co.	34¾	36
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	10¾	10⅞
,, $6 cum. pfd.	31	32
Can. Pacific Rly.	6½	6¾
Case, J.I.	96⅛	96¼
Chase National Bank	B 32⅞	B 32¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	33¼	34⅛
Chrysler	80⅛	83¾
Columbia Gas & Elec.	9⅛	9¼
,, ,, "A" pfd.	83	80
Coml. Credit	54¾	54¾
Comm. & Souther	2	1⅞
,, $6 cum. pfd.	50	50
Consolid. Edison	33⅛	32¾
Consolid. Oil	8⅝	8⅝
Continental Can	44½	44¼
Continental Oil	26⅝	27⅞
Corn Products	69¾	68⅜
Curtiss Wright (com.)	6⅜	6¾
,, ,, "A"	26	26⅜
Distillers Corp.	18¼	19⅜
Douglas Aircraft	57½	58½
Du Pont de Nemours	147	149
Eagle Picher Lead	13½	13⅜
Elec. Bond & Sh.	14	14¼
,, ,, $5 pfd.	65	63¼
,, ,, $6 pfd.	69	67
Elec. Power & Lt.	44	43¼
Flintkote	27½	28¾
Gen. Amer. Trans.	55	54¼
Gen. Elec.	46	45⅞
Gen. Motors	49¼	51⅝
Gen. Rly. Signal	21¾	22¾
Glidden Co.	24¼	25½
Goodrich (B.F.)	25½	26
,, $5 pfd.	62⅞	61
Goodyear Tire & R.	31⅝	33
Great Nthern Iron Ore	13¾	13¼
Great Nthrn. Rly.	22¾	23¼
Great Western Sugar	30	29⅝
Greyhound Corp.	19⅜	20
Hecker Prods.	8½	8½
Int. Nickel	54⅞	55⅞
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10	10⅜
Kennecott	48½	49¾
Libby-Owens-Ford	56½	56⅞
Lockheed Aircraft	19¼	19⅞
Loew's Inc.	54¼	65
Macy, R.H.	45½	45½
Manhattan Shirt Co.	12½	13
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	30¼	30⅜
McKesson & Rob.	35	35¼
Monsanto Chemical	102	103⅞
Montgomery Ward	51⅞	53⅛
National City Bank	B 25⅞	B 25¾
Nat. Dairy Prods.	14½	15
Nat. Distillers	25½	26¾
Nat. Lead	26⅝	26½
Nat. Power & Lt.	9¼	9
Nat. Supply Co.	16½	16½
New York Central	18⅞	19¾
North Amer. Aviation	13¼	14¼
North Amer.	24⅞	24⅝
Northern Pacific	12	12½
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29	29⅛
Pacific Lighting	*41	41⅞
Packard Motors	4⅞	5¼
Paramount Pictures Inc.	11⅜	11½
Pennsylvania R.R.	21⅛	21½
Phillips Petroleum	38	37¼
Public Serv. of N. J.	33⅞	33½
Pure Oil	9¾	10
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7⅞	8
Republic Steel Co.	19¼	20
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	44⅜	44¾
Schenley	18⅞	20⅛
,, 5½% pfd.	72½	B 71
Sears Roebuck	78	78⅜
Shell Union Oil	14½	14⅛
Socony-Vacuum	13⅛	13⅜
Sthrn. Pacific	19⅛	19⅝
Sthrn. Rly. $5 pfd.	24	25¾
Stand. Brands	7½	7¾
Stand. Gas & Elec.	5	4⅞
Stand. Oil of N.J.	52⅜	52¾
Stone & Webster	13¼	13½
Swift International	28¾	29
Technicolor	22½	22⅞
Texas Corp.	41½	41⅜
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34⅜	34½
Tw. Century Fox	25¾	26
,, ,, pfd.	34⅛	33⅝
Un. Carbide & Carbon	88½	89
Un. Pacific	95	95⅜
Un. Aircraft (new)	33⅜	34⅛
Un. Air Lines Trans.	11	11½
Un. Corp.	4¼	4⅛
,, $3 pfd.	36½	37
Un. Gas Corp.	4⅜	4¼
Un. Gas Improvement	12	12
U. S. Rubber	52⅝	54½
,, 8% pfd.	96¾	99
U. S. Steel	63⅛	64⅝
Vanadium	22¾	23⅞
Warner Bros. Picts.	6¾	6⅞
Westinghouse Elec.	119⅜	119⅜
Woodward Iron	20	20½

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	59¼	59¼
Brazil	11¾	11¾
Cities Serv.	66¾	66¾
Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s	100¼	100¼
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	72½	73½
New England Gas & Elec.	61½	60¼
Peru	9¾	9½
Stand. Gas & Elec.	59½	61

WEEKLY CLOSING STOCKS

	Oct. 11	18
Air Associates	B 7¼	B 8⅜
Amer. Cyanamid "B"	26½	26
Assoc. Gas & Elec.	7	11
Atlan. Gulf & W.	11⅝	12½
Atlan. Refining	22⅜	23
Atlas Corp.	7¾	8½
Baltimore & Ohio	9¾	9¼
Bank of Amer.	B 48¾	B 48¼
Borden Co.	16¾	16½
Celanese Corp.	23⅞	23¼
Chesapeake Corp.	42	B 41
Coml. Solvents	10¼	10⅜
Consumers Power $4.50	B 88½	B 92
Corn Products	B 169⅞	B 170
Coty Inc.	4¾	4⅞
Delaware & Hudson	20⅛	20½
Delaware, Lackawanna & W.	7½	7½
Dist. Corp.	B 78	82
Eitingon Schild	4	4
Elec. Boat Co.	9½	11⅜
Elec. Power & Lt.	12	13¼
Elec. Stor. Battery	B 33	33¼
Freeport Sulphur	28	27½
Gen. Cigar	27½	26¾
Gen. Foods	36¼	37½
Gen. Mills	B 69	68
Int. Dept. Stores	15⅛	15½
Lehman Corp.	27¼	28
Lorillard	20½	20
Mountain City Copper	7⅛	8¼
Nash Kelvinator	10	10¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	63¼	69
Patino Mines	12	12
Pure Oil, 5% pfd.	80	81½
Sthrn. Cal. Edison	**24⅛	23¾
Sthrn. Rly.	16⅜	17
Sterling Prods.	70	70¼
Texas Pacific Land	8½	8⅞
Tidewater Ass. Oil	12½	12¾
Timken Detroit Axle	15¼	16⅞
Transamerica (new)	10⅛	9¾
Un. Biscuit	B 17	16⅞
U. S. Smelt.	68½	69
Westinghouse Air Brakes	25	25

WEEKLY CLOSING BONDS

	Oct. 10	17
Anglo-Chilean Nitrate	B 35½	B 35½
Argentine	81¾	82
Baltimore & Ohio R.R.	21¼	19¾
Bethlehem Steel	99½	100
Brooklyn-Manhattan	64¾	65
Chic. Milwaukee, St.	10¾	9⅝
Columbia Gas & Elec.	94	94½
Denver & Rio	B 14	B 12⅞
Elec. Power & Lt.	75½	79
Erie R.R.	14⅞	13⅛
Minas Geraes	B 8¼	B 8⅜
Mortgage Bank	B 25	B 25
Nat. Power & Lt.	94	96
,, ,, "B"	86½	86½
New England Power	87¼	88¾
New York, Chicago,	78½	84¼
Oklahoma	104½	104½
Oslo	102	102
Republic of Colombia	18¼	18½
Republic Steel	90	91
Rio Grande do Sul	7⅛	7½
Sao Paulo	B 7	B 7¼
Sthrn. Pacific R.R.	54½	51⅜
Sthrn. Rly.	67	63½

B—Bid. *—Ex dividend **—Ex dividend on October 17.—Reuter.

Church's Record of Heroes

Few Visitors to London Know of the Large Roll of Honour in Old Churchyard

FEW who come to London, and few Londoners themselves except workers in the City, know of the remarkable roll of honour in the old churchyard of St. Botolph, Aldersgate, behind the General Post Office. It was the gift of G. F. Watts, the famous artist, whose widow died only ten days ago.

The City garden, in which London men and women who lost their lives trying to save others are commemorated, is formed from the church-yards of St. Botolph's, Christ Church, Newgate, and St. Leonard's, Fosterlane, with an additional piece of land bought by subscription in 1900. Its popular name is "Postmen's Park."

A fountain stands there, and a sun-dial; at one side the squat church of St. Botolph's, whose unlovely exterior is no index to its contents, fills the corner of St. Martin's le Grand and Little Britain. Hard by, on a May night in 1738, John Wesley felt his heart "strangely warmed."

Covered Arcade

Here, in this unexpected garden bounded on every side by tall buildings, and the dull thunder of City traffic, G. F. Watts raised a covered arcade bearing the words "In commemoration of heroic self-sacrifice." It faces lawns, flower-beds, old trees. Pigeons whirl about it. Someone is usually reading or sleeping on the seat within. The arcade is a pleasant place for rest or contemplation, but it is something more—the home of a Roll of Honour which has been called the "simplest, most moving, and spontaneous of privately-executed memorials of individual heroism."

Only two people were sitting in the arcade when a representative of "The Observer" visited it recently. Above their heads memorial plaques, line upon line of them, made of glazed Doulton ware and filling perhaps half of the wall, ran down the entire length of the quiet loggia. There are over fifty of these plaques; space is left for many more. The wall is, as it were, the epitome of certain acts of high courage that, but for this lasting memorial, would have been forgotten long ago.

At the time of Queen Victoria's first Jubilee, G. F. Watts suggested the erection of a monument to the heroes of everyday life—"those likely-to-be-forgotten heroes"—was his only too accurate phrase. Twelve years passed before further action, and then Watts had to undertake the work himself. Mrs. Watts, in a letter to the Parish Council of St. Botolph's after her husband's death, spoke of "a permanent record of deeds for which no V.C. would be received, and of which there would be no history except that buried in the volumes of past newspapers."

Brave Stewardess

After the searching of newspaper files, G. F. Watts erected the first thirteen tablets of glazed ware, green-lettered. When he died Mrs. Watts carried on the work: the memorial is now maintained by the churchwardens of St. Botolph's.

Here one finds the name of Mary Rogers, stewardess of the Stella, who, on March 30, 1899, sacrificed herself by giving up her life-belt and going down voluntarily with the sinking vessel. A ship appears in the corner of the plaque. There is a crested helmet of a City constable on the memorial to Alfred Smith, killed in an air-raid while saving the lives of women and girls in June, 1917.

Daniel Pemberton, aged sixty-one, was a foreman on the old L. and S.W. Railway. "Surprised by a train while gauging the line" in January, 1903, he "hurled his mate out of the track," saving one life at the cost of his own. Herbert Maconoghu, a Wimbledon schoolboy, aged thirteen, whose parents were absent in India, "lost his life in vainly trying to rescue his two schoolfellows who were drowned at Glover's Pool, Croyde, N. Devon, in August, 1882."

Pantomime Tragedy

Twenty years before, in the early 'sixties, Sarah Smith, a "pantomime artiste at Princes Theatre," died of terrible injuries after attempting in her inflammable dress to extinguish the flames which had enveloped her companion. Now, nearly eight decades later, her name is read daily by the City workers who come to Postmen's Park.

They read, also, of William Fisher, a nine-year-old boy. On July 12, 1886, he lost his life in Rodney-road, Walworth, while trying to save his little brother from being run over. One day in 1902 two men, Arthur Strange—a London carman—and Mark Tomlinson, made a desperate venture to save two girls from a Lincolnshire quicksand, only to be trapped themselves: their gallantry is recorded on the Watts memorial.

So the list runs. The plaques are simply designed, phrased, lettered. This is the least ostentatious of memorials. It evokes fifty stories—the story of Edmund Emery, who was drowned when he jumped from a Thames steamboat to rescue a child; the story of William Donald, of Bayswater, a railway clerk, aged nineteen, who was drowned on the Lea in the summer of 1876 when trying to save a lad from a dangerous entanglement of weed.

Terrible Explosion

The terrible explosion at Silvertown in January, 1917, is recalled on the memorial to P. C. Greenoff, a Metropolitan constable who saved many lives by his devotion to duty. Another constable, Percy Edwin Cook, one of the latest names to appear, "voluntarily descended a high tension chamber at Kensington to rescue two workmen overcome by poisonous fumes on October 7, 1927."

Many children are remembered here, the youngest of them Henry James Bristow, a boy of eight, who at Walthamstow in 1890 saved his little sister's life by tearing off her flaming clothes. He caught fire himself and died of burns and shock.

You will read on the wall the stories of rescues and attempted rescues from asphyxiating gas, from burning houses, from runaway horses, from broken ice. There are memorials to doctors, a lighterman, a domestic servant, a fitter's labourer, a clergyman, a compositor, a signalman, many policemen. The St. Botolph's arcade, with its central statuette in memory of Watts, is for London only: Watts hoped vainly that provincial towns might have adopted the plan.

U.S. Commodities

Tuesday's Closing Quotations

New York, Oct. 18.

The cotton market early declined moderately on lower Liverpool and Bombay advices, liquidation and commission house selling. Later, prices rallied on covering, a higher stock market and some local buying. Finally, the market again eased on spot houses and New Orleanes selling and closed barely steady, with quotations ranging from 3 points up to 11 points down.

Prices in the rubber market early declined on commission house selling and the heaviness of securities, but later rallied with the improvement of the stock market and encouraging report from the motor industry. At the last call over, gains of 4 to 13 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago gradually moved into lower ground on unfavourable foreign cables, a weak Winnipeg market, a lack of interest and a poor export demand. At the final bell, losses of 1/4 to 3/8 of a cent were registered.

The sugar market early declined on trade and foreign selling, liquidation and easier London advices, but later partially rallied on trade buying and covering. At the close, quotations were a ½ point down.

Prices in the silk market early held steady, reflecting steady foreign cables and encouraging consumption indications, but the quietness of the spot market resulted in a slackening of interest. Finally, the market rallied on covering, a demand by speculators and the strength of other markets. Closing quotations were from 1½ to 3½ cents up.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
Dec.	8.26-28	+01	Oct.	7.59-60	—11
Jan.	8.22 N.	+03	Dec.	17.00-01	+08
Mar.	8.16-17	+02	Jan.	17.00 N.	+05
May	7.99-99	—03	Mar.	17.03-04	+04
July	7.88-88	—07	May	17.80-08	+13

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Mar.	1.00½-01 B/A	—½	May	1.03-04 B/A	—½
			Oct.	1.80-80	+03

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Dec.	64⅜-64½	—⅜	Dec.	43⅞-43⅞	—⅜
May	65⅝-65¾	—¼	May	47½-47⅝	—¼

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Oct.	60¾-60¾	—1¼	Oct.	42.25 B	unc.
Dec.	59¾-59¾	—⅝			

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Shanghai's Foreign Trade for Sept.

According to the monthly returns issued by the Chinese Maritime Customs covering the foreign trade of Shanghai, net Imports during September 1938, totalled $25,758,350. Net Exports totalled $27,436,171. January-September figures were $174,923,915 and $141,507,127 respectively.

Weekly Reichsbank Returns

Berlin, Oct. 18.

The weekly Reichsbank return issued here today shows the gold stock unchanged at 70,800,000 Marks while foreign exchange holdings increased by 200,000 to 5,900,000 Marks. The note circulation decreased by 337,300,000 to 7,203,600,000 Marks.

The amount of credit, as measures by bills, cheques, investments and advances, declined by 350,600,000 to 7,854,000,000 Marks.

The total amount of legal tender in circulation on October 15 is returned at 9,266,000,000 against 6,821,000,000 Marks on the same date of last year.—Trans-Ocean.

Manchoukuo Trade Mission

Burgos, Oct. 19.

The Manchoukuo Trade Mission opened its conversations here yesterday with an official call at the Foreign Ministry, after which a luncheon was given by the Japanese Charge d'Affaires.

At a Foreign Office banquet last evening, the Foreign Minister, Senor Jordana, and the Manchoukuo Minister of Commerce and head of the Trade Mission, Mr. Han Yun-kai, exchanged speeches, emphasizing the bonds uniting the two countries as the youngest recruits for the antti-Comintern axis.—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, Oct. 18.

Today's share market showed a friendly trend although, apart from some big deals in United Steels which rose 2½ points, business was again inclined to stagnate.

Mining shares were in good demand, amongst them Mannesmann and Hoesch. Harpeners however lost two points.—Trans-Ocean.

German Note Issue Decreased

Berlin, Oct. 18.

A total note circulation of 7,204,-000,000 Reichsmarks was revealed in the returns of the German Reichsbank for the week ended October 14, which was published today. This represents a decrease of 337,000,000 Reichsmarks from the previous week.—Reuter.

Future of Tanganyika Discussed at Nairobi

Dutch Communities Pledge Support

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Nairobi, Oct. 19.

The future of Tanganyika was discussed at the headquarters of the Tanganyika League by delegations from the British communities in Arusha, Musoma and Kismu yesterday.

The meeting decided to urge that the most vigorous action be taken in the matter.

Large Dutch settlements in Tanganyika telegraphed to the League pledging their whole-hearted support.—Reuter.

Siam's Boy King Leaves For Coronation

Thirteen-Year-Old Monarch Goes Home

Marseilles, Oct. 19.

Siam's thirteen-year-old King Ananda Mahidol has left for Rangoon, on board the Meonia, en route to Bangkok for his Coronation. After the Coronation ceremony, the boy King will return to Europe to complete his education.

On March 2, 1935, King Prjadhipok abdicated, whereupon Prince Ananda Mahidol, son of His late Royal Highness Prince Mahidol of Songkhla, was appointed King as from the same date.

The young King has been absent from Siam since the beginning of his reign. A Council of Regency consisting of three members represents the authority of the King.—Reuter.

German Trade Mission On Way to Dublin

London, Oct. 19.

The German trade delegation which is on its way to Dublin to discuss various matters relating to a commercial agreement between Germany and Eire, passed through London yesterday evening. On its return journey the delegation will begin negotiations in London with representatives of the British Government regarding the extension of the Anglo-German clearing agreement, a step which was decided on in July last.—Trans-Ocean.

General Motors Good News

New York, Oct. 19.

The General Motors Corporation announce an immediate increase in production, and the consequent engagement of 35,000 additional employees in the course of the next fortnight.

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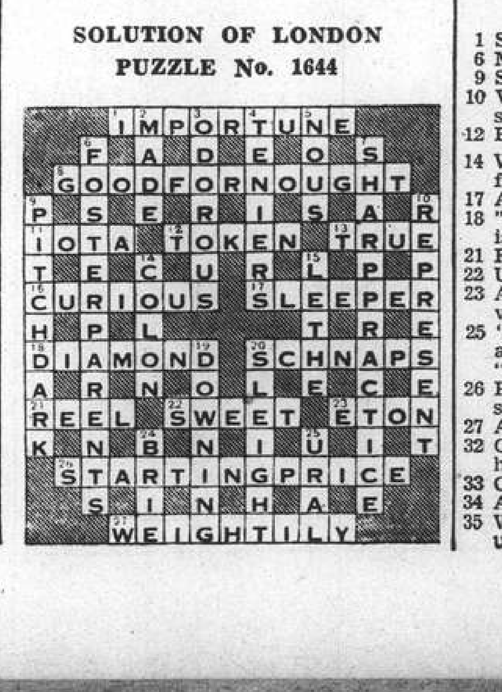

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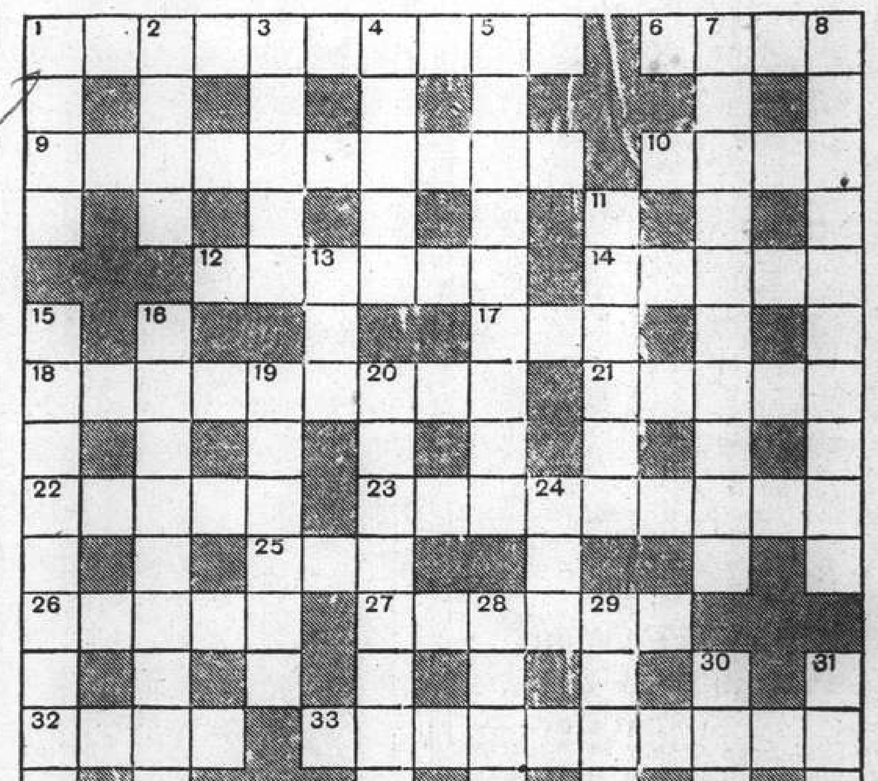

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1 Sambo's fetish, half elephant?
6 Modern weapon or a gunner's head
9 Surrender
10 Victorian statesman or a bakers' shovel
12 Boer war leader
14 With an attached after he would be foul
17 Animal in 22 across
18 'Tis strange but this sort of person is not found in the best circles
21 Famous golfer or material line
22 Unnecessary advice to the hiker
23 A topping feature in the vegetable world
25 "Golden ——s and girls all must, as chimney-sweepers, come to dust" ("Cymbeline")
26 Part of the Hellenic heavens (ask some classical expert)
27 A saintly Atlantic island
32 Corn that is this may have to be harvested by hand
33 Change
34 An important person in Italy once
35 What part of a new watch has been used before?

DOWN

1 Club spice
2 A form of poem
3 This trawl is to catch fish not their enemy
4 Foreign soldier
5 Weed that is divided on the breakfast table
7 A reason why some of the account is incorrect
8 A Norse hero with a Morse tail? What rubbish
11 Many with colour become useless stuff
13 This word is often abbreviated by poets
15 Epithet for the space you are filling up
16 This means a competitor the fewer
19 Town of Italy
20 A modern inn perhaps
24 Can only a fearsome person be held in this loch?
28 See about the beast: something to catch it perhaps
29 Fabulous but no monster
30 One of the W. Indies
31 This land may be part of a field or prominent at the seaside

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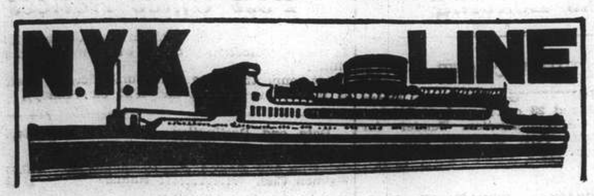

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B	AJAX	Liverpool	Oct. 27	Oct. 28	Tsingtao and Japan ports
B	TYNDAREUS	Pacific Coast	Nov. 5	Nov. 8	Hongkong
A	HECTOR	Liverpool	Nov. 11	Nov. 12	Japan Ports
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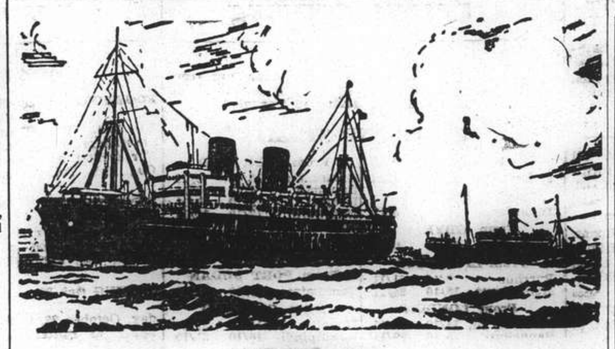

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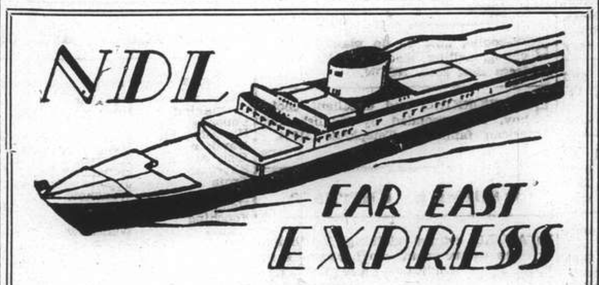

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Tachi M.	Wuhu	N.K.K.
Adrastus	Hongkong	B.&S.
Jedmoor	Calcutta	Jardine
Hanna	Haimen (Ch.)	G.F.E.
Kingyuan	Hongkong	B.&S.
Norse Trader	(returning)	Wallem
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Faro	Tsungming	P.N.&T.
Santa Rosa	Yangling	Dah Loong
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Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Kiangting	Ger.	Foo Hwa
Santa Rosa	Port.	Dah Loong
Koga M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Tseangtah	Br.	Mow Tung
Changon	Br.	H.G.&R
Ningkwang	Br.	A.P.C.
Cyclops	Br.	B.&S.
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From NEW YORK		
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Irisbank	7/9	27/10
Silverteak	—	28/11
Phemius	28/10	20/12
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Shanghai M.	24/10	25/10
Nagasaki M.	26/10	27/10
Shanghai M.	29/10	30/10

AUSTRALIA

From MELBOURNE		
Nankin	2/11	8/12
From BRISBANE		
Tanda	14/10	7/11

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Hoten M.	18/10	21/10
Glenogle	18/10	22/10
Dairen M.	21/10	24/10
Tsingtao M.	24/10	27/10
Hoten M.	27/10	30/10
Toulouse	1/11	15/11
From TIENTSIN		
Sandviken	16/10	22/10
Shengking	19/10	22/10
Chengtu	21/10	24/10
From TSINGTAO		
Memnon	6/10	28/10
From CHANGKIAKONG		
Whangpu	20/10	20/10
From HSINKONG		
Tungwo	20/10	20/10
From CHUANCHOW		
Shantung	17/10	20/10
From SWATOW		
Kaying	17/10	20/10
From HONGKONG		
Taisang	16/10	20/10
Ramses	18/10	21/10
H. Peking	17/10	21/10
P. Coolidge	19/10	22/10
Norviken	18/10	22/10
Agapenor	19/10	23/10
Soochow	19/10	23/10
Tsinan	19/10	23/10
Nanning	21/10	25/10
Taksang	21/10	25/10
Suiyang	22/10	27/10
Kiungchow	23/10	27/10
Yochow	25/10	29/10

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

CHAKSANG Oct. 21. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Friday, October 21, at 9 a.m. "A" and "B" Class Accommodation. Tender for passengers from Customs Jetty at 8 a.m. Friday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 21-10

SHUNTIEN Oct. 22. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Saturday, October 22, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-10

TAISANG Oct. 23. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Sunday, October 23, at 10 a.m. "A" and "B" Class Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 23-10

NORVIKEN Oct. 24. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, October 24. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 24-10

TAKSANG Oct. 27. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, October 27. "A" and "B" Class Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 27-10

SOUTH CHINA COAST

TJISADANE Oct. 20. AMOY, HONGKONG, MANILA, CEBU, MACASSAR, BALI, SOERABAIA and JAVA N.C.—The J.C.J.L. ms. Tjisadane sails from Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Thursday, October 20, at 4 p.m., taking cargo to Java and transhipment in Java. Excellent passenger accommodation. Passengers tender leaves Customs Jetty at 2.30 p.m. Through tickets issued to European Australian and African Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 20-10

FOOSHING Oct. 20. HONGKONG.—Sails from Buoys 22 and 23 on Thursday, October 20, p.m. "B" Class Accommodation. Tender for passengers from Customs Jetty at noon. Thursday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 20-10

KINGYUAN Oct. 21. SWATOW, HONGKONG, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Friday, October 21, at 9 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 21-10

KAYING Oct. 22. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, October 22, at 9.30 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-10

NINGHAI Oct. 22. WENCHOW, CHUANCHOW and HSINGWHA. — From French Bund on Saturday, 22, at 9.30 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-10

SHANTUNG Oct. 23. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Sunday, October 23, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 23-10

SINKIANG Oct. 23. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Sunday, October 23, at 10 a.m. For freight passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 23-10

SANDVIKEN Oct. 24. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, October 24. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 24-10

SOOCHOW Oct. 25. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOW WAN and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, October 25, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire. Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 25-10

STRAITS AND EUROPE

CONTE B'CAMANO Oct. 21. NAPLES and GENOA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, MASSOWAH and PORT SAID.—The Lloyd Triestino s.s. Conte Biancamano will sail from Shanghai on October 21, at 6.30 a.m. sharp. For freight and passage apply Lloyd Triestino, 26 The Bund. Tel. 16885. 21-10

GLENOGLE Oct. 22. CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 22-10

ATHOS II Oct. 25. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 25-10

RANCHI Oct. 25. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 1.30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 25, 1938. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co. N. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 25-10

SHANTUNG Oct. 26. MASSAWAH, ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, OSLO, COPENHAGEN and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s ms. Shantung will leave Shanghai on or about October 26, for the above mentioned ports. Through bills of lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bs/L. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 26-10

OLDENBURG Oct. 27. GENOA, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—(Captain W. Arfsten), on or about October 27, 1938. For freight and passage please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 27-10

MEMNON Oct. 29. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—For freight and passage apply agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 29-10

BURDWAN Nov. 1. BOMBAY, CASABLANCA, MARSEILLES, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, STRAITS and CEYLON.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., 27 The Bund. Tel. 11428. 1-11

AUSTRALASIA

NELLORE Nov. 4. SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via (From Hongkong) PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. C. Co., Ltd., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 4-11

SOUTH AND EAST AFRICA

TEGELBERG Oct. 26. RODRIGUEZ, MAURITIUS, REUNION, TAMATAVE, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, CAPETOWN, MOSSEL BAY, PORT ELIZABETH EAST LONDON ZANZIBAR and MOMBASA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SAIGON, BANGKOK, (Koh-Si-Chang) SINGAPORE and BATAVIA.—The K.P.M. Line ms. Tegelberg sails from Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Wednesday, October 26. Cargo accepted for all ports in South, East and West Africa, also East Coast of South America. For passage and freight apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Agents, K.P.M. Line Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 26-10

Post Office Notices

Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.
(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.35 on week days and 19.05 on Sunday).

Date and Destination	Per		Reg.	Ord.
THURSDAY, Oct. 20.				
Tsingtao and Dairen	Tsingtao M.		*20.00	7.15
Haimen Che.	Hanna		11.30	12.00
Amoy H'kong (Y) Aust. (Y) N.Z. (Y) Manila (Y) Java Ports	Tjisadane	A	12.30	13.00
Aust. N.Z. Manila S.S. India Suez Europe	C. B'camano	B	14.00	16.00
Hongkong and Canton	C. B'camano		15.30	16.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Tejo		16.30	17.00
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Chaksang		18.30	19.00
Indo-China(Z) via H'phong	Kingyuan	C	—	—
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Kingyuan		19.30	20.00
Haimen Che.	Don Jose		19.30	20.00
FRIDAY, Oct. 21.				
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Shanghai M.		*20.00	7.15
Ningpo	Prominent	X	7.30	8.00
Wenchow	Mohlenhof		12.30	13.00
SATURDAY, Oct. 22.				
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Fausang		*20.00	7.15
Swatow and Hongkong	Kaying		*20.00	7.15
Wenchow and Chuanchow	Ninghai		*20.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien		*20.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shuntien		*20.00	7.30
Foochow	Livatho	X	7.30	8.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Netherlands India, closes at 12.00 on 20th.
B Parcel mail for S.S., F.M.S., Ceylon, India Egypt, E-Soudan Italy and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 20th.
C Parcel mail for Indo-China closes at 16.00 on 20th.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.
Z Parcel mail only.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin or Chinwangtao for transmission.
Next steamer mails will be closed as follow:—
ss. Conte Biancamano, via Suez, October 20, due London November 16.
ss. President Coolidge, via Pacific October 23, due London November 22.
ss. Athos II, via Suez, October 24, due London November 24.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Conte Biancamano, at 4 p.m. on Oct. 20, and due Rome on October 30, and London on October 31.
Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Conte Biancamano, at 4 p.m. on October 20, and due San Francisco on Nov. 2.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Conte Biancamano, at 4 p.m. on October 20, and due Amsterdam on November 3, and London on November 4.
Air France (Saigon-Marseilles) per available steamer to Hongkong for transmission to Saigon.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service:—Air mails close daily at 8.00 p.m.
Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for or via Pengpu, Wuhu, N.S.R. and Lunghai (east of Yunho) close daily, at 9.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via Hangchow and Sunkiang close daily, at 8.00 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports beyond Kiukiang per available steamer via Canton.
Light mails for Kiangpei Offices west and north of Haian via Chinkiang close daily at 9.30 p.m.

Vessels Discharging

SILVERASH. From United States and way ports.—The vessel is now discharging all her cargo (except Opium and Munition of War) at the Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of bulk cargo, will further be required to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weights of such cargo whilst it is being landed. All claims against this vessel must be sent within fourteen days from date of vessel's arrival, or they will not be recognized. All risk of fire at the Wharf and godowns to be borne by the Consignees of cargo. Examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Wednesday, October 26, at 9 a.m. when Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy will attend. Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 21-10

ADRASTUS. From New York arrived on Oct. 19, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on October 28, 1938. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Monday, October 24, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 22-10

TALTHYBIUS. From Vancouver arrived on Oct. 19, and is discharging her cargo at Holt's Wharf, Pootung. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" are further requested to send their representative to the Wharf to verify the weight of such cargo whilst being landed. Free storage period expires on October 28, 1938. Damaged cargo will be examined in the presence of a Customs Officer on Saturday, October 22, at 10 a.m. Claims must be presented within 15 days of vessel's arrival. No insurance effected. Butterfield & Swire, Agents. 22-10

In Harbour or Dock

Name	Flag	Berthed
Asian	Br.	Buoys 24-25
Aymeric	Br.	P.W.E.
Baron Mito	Br.	M.B.K.L.W.
Celtic Monarch	Br.	Buoys 32-33
Chaksang	Br.	O.N.W.
Chungking	Br.	C.N.C.W.
C. Biancamano	Ital.	H.W.
Dachi M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Daishin M.	Jap.	K.P.W.
Dama	Port.	McW.
Fausang	Br.	K.L.Y.W.
Fuhwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Fukwang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Helga Moller	Br.	M.B.K.L.W.
H. Yangtsze	Br.	P.B.B.
Ingeren	Nor.	Buoys 31-32
Iyang M.	Jap.	Buoys 34-35
Kaysieg	—	Y.P.D.W.
Kaikou	Br.	A.P.C.U.W.
Noroh Moller	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Kintang	Br.	C.D.W.
Kondor	Ger.	K.L.Y.W.
Kungwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Leesang	Br.	Y.P.D.
Lipari	—	H.S.W.
Liu Hsing	—	Y.P.D.W
Luna	—	P.P.
Lushan M.	Jap.	Buoys 26-27
Meinan	Am.	S.O.C.W.
M. Francisca	Port.	K.L.Y.W.
Munlock	Br.	I.D.W.
Nantung M.	Jap.	W.S.W.
Ninghai	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Nord	Pan.	C.N.C.B. 1-2
Norse Carrier	Pan.	H.S.W.P.
Produce	Nor.	K.L.Y.W.
Prominent	Nor.	K.L.Y.B. 1-2
Ready	Br.	Int. D.W.
Silverash	Br.	H.W.Y.K.
Siushan	Br.	C.D.W.
St. V. de Paul	Br.	M.B.K.U.W.
Suiting	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tachi M.	Jap.	Y.P.D.
Taiyuan	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Tatung	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tienkwang	Br.	A.P.C.L.W.
Tjisadane	Net.	H.W.Y.K.
Treherbert	Br.	Buoys 13-14
Troja	Br.	Buoys 12-13
Tsingtao M.	Jap.	W.W.
Wantung	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Wuhu	Br.	Buoys 30a
Yungkiang M.	Jap.	Y.P.D.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Duncan	Br.	Dest.	B.N.B.
Scarab	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Augusta	Am.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Isabel	Am.	Slp.	U.S.N.B.
Sacramento	Am.	Gbt.	S.O.C.W.
S. de Brazza	Fr.	Slp.	F.N.B.
Tahure	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	—
Akasisan M. 46	Jap.	Tr.	J.K.W.
America M. 208	Jap.	Rcs.	J.K.W.
Anzan M. 556	Jap.	Tr.	D.K.K.W.W.
Hakubasan M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.C.W.
Idzumo	Jap.	Cr.	1/2 B.
Koyi M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.L.W.
Kuma	Jap.	Cr.	N.Y.K.M.W.
Ninsho M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.W.P.W.
Ondo M.	Jap.	Tr.	28/29 B.
Toko M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.L.W.

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DAILY AND WEEKLY

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Sailed in Potsdam

Among those who sailed on Tuesday in the ss. Potsdam for Europe and way ports, were:

Dr. F. W. Bilfinger, Mr. L. Britton, Mrs. C. Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Colterjjohn and two children, Miss B. G. Coyle, Miss K. von Csorba, Mr. L. G. Cousins, Mrs. L. G. Dahlman, Mr. W. Droesse, Mrs. E. Holtz, Mr. J. M. Huppmann, Lieut.-Col. Surgeon Kitagawa, Mr. A. R. Lussy, Mr. W. Maier, Mrs. R. Moulton, Comdr. H. E. Overesch, Mrs. B. Pearson, Dr. A. Reithinger, Mr. C. S. Rosselet, Mr. E. Schetz, Mrs. R. D. K. Silby and daughter, Mr. I. A. Sjoli, Mr. R. Sterz, Mr. D. Suzuki, Mr. E. S. Savage, Miss S. Tatham, Dr. von W. Tirpitz, Dr. A. von Trott, Mr. R. Walter, Mr. P. S. Wuddup, Dr. K. Arndt, Mr. W. Asendorf, Mr. O. Boening, Dr. H. Brauns, Mr. D. W. Cheadle, Mrs. W. E. Cheadle, Mr. H. Danisch, Mrs. H. D. Davis, Mrs. P. Eardley, Mrs. B. Elder, Mr. and Mrs. C. Frankish and son, Mrs. A. E. T. Hansen, Mr. G. F. R. Jack, Dr. G. Koehler, Mr. K. Kuch, Mr. P. L. Lowe, Mr. L. Z. Marques, Miss H. McMilligan, Mrs. C. A. Murray, Miss E. Noelle, Mrs. M. Osheim, Mr. W. Schanz, Mr. E. Stephan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vafiadis and two children and Mr. J. Warialdas.

For Chinwangtao: Mr. G. W. Simmie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Welsch sailed yesterday in the ss. Johanne Justessen.

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Weather, Time and Tide

Thursday, October 20, 1938 (27th day of 8th moon)	Siccawei Oct. 18 16.00	Siccawei Oct. 18 21.00	Siccawei Oct. 19 4.00	Siccawei Oct. 19 9.00	Gutzlaff 9.00	Gutzlaff 14.00
Barometer inches at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	30.21	30.26	30.21	30.24	—	—
at 32 F. (,, ,, 12 hrs.)	—0.03	—0.01	—0.03	—0.05	—	—
Wind (direction)	—0.03	—0.03	0.00	—0.02	—	—
,, (miles per hour)	NNE	NNE	NNW	NW	—	—
Temperature (Fahr.)	10.6	3.7	3.7	3.1	—	—
Humidity %	65.°7	56.°3	52.°9	63.°5	—	—
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	53	76	92	74	—	—
Rainfall inches	8	0	9	6	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report October 18	Mean 1938	24 hours variation	Previous average same period (65 years)
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	30.25	—0.02	30.15
Temp. Min. 50.°9 Max. 71.°8	61.°3	+0.°2	62.°8
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	45.32	—	39.93

Date	20/10	21/10	22/10	23/10	24/10	25/10	26/10	27/10	28/10
Sun rises at Shanghai	5.59	6.00	6.01	6.02	6.03	6.04	6.04	6.05	6.06
Sun sets at Shanghai	5.18	5.17	5.16	5.15	5.14	5.12	5.11	5.10	5.09
Moon rises at Shanghai	2.58	4.00	5.01	6.02	7.02	8.00	8.55	9.40	10.33
Moon sets at Shanghai	15.22	15.59	16.38	17.18	17.59	18.45	19.33	20.22	21.13
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	8.05	8.47	9.20	9.44	10.17	10.55	11.40	12.05	12.46
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	13.05	13.56	14.40	15.21	15.55	16.26	16.52	17.25	18.04
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18.00	9.49	10.25	11.02	11.39	12.12	12.37	13.12	13.47	14.26
Height above LLW. (feet)	7.55	9.40	10.36	11.00	11.25	10.65	10.20	9.52	8.65